TODAY'S WEATHER.
Partly cloudy; rising temperature to-morrow.

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Pittsburgh delegates to the congress of the Daughters of the American Revolution are arriving in Washington.—Page 12.

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Senator Hanna, in a statement made last night, says that the country cannot afford, at this time, to repeal all of the special war taxes.—Page 4.

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It has been decided that Miss Alice Roosevelt will not visit Berlin after the coronation of King Edward, but will return home at once.—Page 1.

Tennessee scientist discovers electrical strata in the earth which will make sending of Marconigrams through mountains an easy accomplishment.—Page 3.

A portion of the proceeds of the bond issue decided upon by the bankers' committee in charge of the Everett-Moore syndicate will be used to add great additional facilities to Federal Telephone Company's equipment.—Page 12.

Charles M. Schwab, who returned from Europe on the St. Paul yesterday, said that all Europe is amazed at the rapid strides of American commercial industry. He also said that the United States Steel Corporation will at once start a policy of concentration in order to reduce operating expense.—Page 1.

FOREIGN.

The Kronprinz Wilhelm with Prince Henry aboard arrives at Southampton.—Page 3.

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A company has been organized at Beaver Falls for the manufacture of enameled tile and brick.—Page 3.

Father and son are killed by a train near Chester and their bodies carried a mile on a locomotive pilot.—Page 3.

Two men are killed, two mortally wounded and three injured by Sunday shooting affrays in nearby towns.—Page 1.

The state forestry commission proposes to purchase 100,000 acres this year for an addition to the forestry reservation.—Page 3.

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Consolidated Ice Company lets contract for erection of big plant on South Side.—Page 10.

Gang of burglars raided Rankin early yesterday morning, breaking into five houses, chloroforming inmates and stealing watches, jewelry and money.—Page 8.

An ice gorge 70 miles in length threatens property along Allegheny river and constant use of dynamite is necessary to keep intake pipes clear at Brilliant pumping station.—Page 5.

One of the gang of repeaters brought here from Philadelphia is caught and confesses, giving evidence that will be valuable in preventing fraud at tomorrow's election.—Page 1.

Gov. Stone's delay in granting requisition papers for George W. Clark to Massachusetts officers is roundly condemned and is attributed to political influence of machine leaders in this city.—Page 4.

The Rev. J. M. Gaston and the Rev. Dr. Henry T. McClelland, in sermons yesterday, advised their congregations to cast their ballots for clean government and for the overthrow of the Pittsburgh ring.—Page 2.

School house in Seventeenth ward is desecrated during a machine meeting by serving of beer and liquor to voters present in audience and citizens of ward threaten prosecution to machine leaders in ward.—Page 1.

Review of campaign work shows that Larkin's election can be regarded as assured and that the Citizens party will get a majority of the common councilmen, but hold-overs may give select to machine.—Page 1.

SPORTING.

Terry McGovern secures a new sparring partner.—Page 8.

Entries for races at New Orleans and Oakland tracks today.—Page 8.

Fred Clarke, captain of the Pirates, will play hockey with the Bankers team.—Page 8.

Pittsburgh High school has arranged two basketball contests with the Kiskiminetas team.—Page 8.

THREE NEW OIL GUSHERS.

One Owned by a Cleburne Man Is Too Strong to Be Brought Under Control.

BEAUMONT, TEX., Feb. 16.—(Special.)—Three big gushers were brought in on Spindle Top today and one of them, bored for Col. S. E. Moss, of Cleburne, Tex., flows so powerfully that it has been impossible with the equipment that the contractors have at hand to stop it.

The well is a six-inch one and has been a phenomenon in many respects. The drillers have been going through oil sand for a week. When the final plunge was made, however, oil came in a violent gusher style and all efforts to plug it have proved futile.

The other gushers brought in today were one for N. Cabell Head of Houston and one for the Alamo City Company. Mr. Read's well is an eight-inch one and Judge H. E. Brooks of the Hogg-Swayne syndicate said it is the largest on the field. The Alamo City is a six-inch well.

Vote for home rule by supporting the Citizens ticket.

TODAY'S AMUSEMENTS.

ALVIN—Ethel Barrymore in Clyde Fitch's "Captain Jinks of the Horse Marines," 8:15 p. m.
ND—"Madame Sans-Gene," 2:15 and 8:15 p. m.
PIRE—Boston Lyric Opera Company in erdi's "Il Trovatore," 8:15 p. m.
QUESNE—Reilly and Woods' Big Show, 15 p. m.
IOU—"The Convict's Daughter," 2:15 and 15 p. m.
ADEMY—Bob Manchester's New York Stars, 8 p. m.
QUESNE GARDEN—Skating.

SCHWAB ON HIS RETURN SAYS THAT EUROPE IS DAZED

Foreigners Cannot Understand the Wonderful Commercial Enterprise of the American Nation.

POLICY OF CONCENTRATION IS NOW TO BE STARTED

Charles T. Shoen, Who Accompanied the President of the United States Steel Corporation, Says That His Friend Was Maligned.

NO ATTEMPT TO BREAK BANK AT MONTE CARLO

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—Glad to put aside his sea legs, Mr. Charles M. Schwab came ashore from the St. Paul this morning after as rough a voyage as has often been known by the big American liner. Mr. Schwab admits that he is a poor sailor and a trip such as that which closed today is filled with torture for him. From Southampton to Sandy Hook the president of the United States Steel Corporation remained below decks most of the time. His customary genial smile returned to his face only when the waters of New York harbor were reached.

CHARLES T. SCHOEN,
Who Returned from Europe With Charles M. Schwab Yesterday.

Cutting short his trip through Europe for that purpose, Mr. Schwab will preside tomorrow at the first annual meeting of the stockholders of the United States Steel Corporation, of which he is the head.

Created a Big Stir.

He left New York about six weeks ago and since then has traveled through England, France and Germany. He has been, perhaps, the most talked about man in all Europe. Reigning monarchs have accepted him as a personification of American push and energy. He has typified the great "American peril." Royalty has entertained him and from him has attempted to learn of the wonderful prosperity of the United States.

When he left New York, Mr. Schwab planned that he and his wife would have a few weeks all to themselves, for rest and recreation. He wanted to leave behind him all the cares and worries of business. He even thought to make a few observations of European industrial conditions without being himself observed. In this Mr. Schwab failed.

Had "a Strenuous Time."

He describes his trip as "strenuous." Night and day he was followed about by the curious. He even achieved the distinction of being one of the few who have refused to grant an interview to an emperor. Receiving a request to visit Emperor Franz Josef of Austria and having had one experience with that remarkable old man, who is said to have held his own in a question contest with the late Li Hung Chang, Mr. Schwab made haste to put the French border between him and Vienna. It was hardly an unique experience for Mr. Schwab, however, as he has often refused even more pressing invitations for interviews at home.

If the truth be told, Mr. Schwab was in the same mood today, when the St. Paul reached quarantine, that he was when he received the invitation from the emperor of Austria to call. After thinking the matter over, however, he consented to make a statement tonight in regard to Europe's opinion of American commercial industry.

Corporation a Tremendous Factor.

"We, here in America," said Mr. Schwab tonight, "cannot realize the tremendous importance of the United States Steel Corporation as a factor in the trade of the world—not only in the iron and steel business, but in almost every line. Previous to my trip to Europe I had viewed the enterprise from an American standpoint, but now I have secured the views of commercial and financial leaders who have viewed it in a different manner—those who have looked on from the vantage point of an outsider. They have seen it slowly unfolding until they have come to believe that the company is no venture or business exploitation, but a real and decided success.

"I wish to dispel one idea which has become apparently firmly rooted in the minds of the American public. There is a popular impression that the European nations have been combining their iron and steel industries in trade defense, and that they are mortally afraid of competition and are adopting all possible means to strengthen themselves against possible developments by the United States Steel Corporation in their own countries.

"I found they were not afraid of our business and were not afraid of us. They have nothing but the most kindly feelings toward us. I met many of the leading steel men and financiers in Germany, Austria, France and England. They expressed to me the most friendly feelings and told me that they were not afraid of us in their own markets.

All Are Amazed.

"But the most wonderful impression of my visit was the amazement shown by those with whom I came in contact regarding America's strides toward commercial supremacy. They cannot understand it, viewing it from their own standpoint, and that is why all the big corporations are sending representatives to the United States to study our methods.

"I had unusual facilities for getting information on the European methods—in fact on all sides everybody appeared willing to tell me all they knew, if I would only tell them how we did it over here. That was the keynote of many of my interviews.

Ideas Were Broadened.

"How do you do it over there? How do you make such a commercial success?"

"I said in a speech delivered in Chicago that any combination of business enterprises organized for other purposes than the reduction of cost and the increase of output is placed upon a false basis, and I return from my visit to Europe feeling more than ever impressed with the truth of that proposition. I come back with my ideas broadened and my enthusiasm unbounded. Heretofore I have looked upon our great combination of the steel industry of this country as perhaps nothing more than an ordinary business venture of great magnitude.

Undertaking Underrated.

"After hearing the views of the business men of the old world I find that I have, if anything, underrated our undertaking.

"We are now more than ever ready to demonstrate that the greater the scope of the combination the greater the possibilities for economy and consequently the greater the possibilities for the reduction of cost. With these objects in view we must have our great plants equipped and manned to perfection, and no care or proper expense must be spared to keep those plants modern and at the highest point that ingenuity, skill and enterprise can reach.

Gained Some Good Points.

"The opinions that I obtained from these people, however, have shown me a great and extensive line of improvement work in the United States Steel Corporation. For example, in the bridge line—when the American Bridge Company was formed it took in about 30 separate plants. Each of those plants bought its structural material at the best possible market. Now these plants are able to obtain their structural steel and other materials from plants right close at hand.

"We are going to begin a policy of concentration in all the different plants—not only in the bridge, but in the sheet steel, tube, bar, beam and various other forms of manufactured steel. That is only one of the economies which we propose to work out."

Warned Kings to Look Out.

To questions from King Edward and Emperor Joseph, Mr. Schwab said that he replied that the United States Steel Corporation would not pay any attention to those markets that were already in the control of domestic companies. "But," he added, "you will have to look out for those markets which are open to competition from various quarters. Those markets we hope to control.

"It was not Mr. Schwab of New York, formerly of Pittsburgh," he added, laughingly, "whom King Edward, the Austrian emperor and the kaiser received, but the president of the biggest corporation in the world. In that capacity I was received and had a pleasant reception in each case."

Traveled With C. T. Schoen.

Referring to the Monte Carlo incident, President Schwab deplored the stories which were sent to this country as gross

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ALICE WON'T VISIT BERLIN.

Daughter of the President Will Return Home After the Coronation Ceremonies in England Are Completed.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

GROTON, MASS., Feb. 15.—It was reported from the Gardner house tonight that Miss Alice Roosevelt would not visit Berlin after the coronation of King Edward. An afternoon dispatch had stated that the German emperor had asked Ambassador White to invite her there. President Roosevelt is said to feel that with the public reception to Prince Henry and the christening of the kaiser's yacht by his daughter, the friendly feeling of the United States for Germany will have been sufficiently demonstrated. Like her father, Miss Roosevelt is essentially democratic, and shrinks from the display of pomp and ceremony.

It is reported, too, that there is not the slightest ground for the statement which has been going the rounds that the president's daughter would wear royal robes at the coronation. Miss Roosevelt's gown has been ordered, and now is being made for that important event. It will not differ materially from the rich dresses which will be worn by other American ladies.

The Answer to the "Postscript Letter" Is Coming.

TWO DEAD AND FIVE HURT BY SHOOTING ON SUNDAY

Dance Ended in Mortal Wounding of Host Near Connellsville—Two Killed and One Injured in Speakeasies.

YOUNG MAN SHOOTS HIS MOTHER

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

CONNELLSVILLE, PA., Feb. 16.—While a crowd of young people were shouting gay farewell as they departed from a merry dance at the home of Robert Fuller, a prominent farmer of Sandy Hollow, Franklin township, the jingle of sleigh bells was stopped by three shots fired by a drink-crazed young man. The host and a guest, Albert Stuart, were shot down and the house of merry-making was suddenly changed to a place of sorrow.

At the Cottage State hospital here Fuller is expected to die before morning, while Stuart is in a serious condition from a bad wound in the hip. Robert Moreland of Star Junction, the young man who did the shooting, was hurried to jail at Uniontown by a constable, for threats of violence were made against him.

Husband Resented Insult.

It was the last of the sleighing snow and young folks from miles around gathered at the dance. When the guests were ready to depart, shortly after midnight, young Moreland, who had been drinking heavily, approached Mrs. William Sickels, daughter of the host, and asked if he could accompany her home. Moreland was almost a stranger there and did not know that she was married. When she told him this he is alleged to have insulted her, and her husband took up the quarrel.

Moreland went out to his sleigh and Fuller, Sickels and Stuart followed him. Fuller, it is said, finally struck the young man, who drew a revolver. He began firing and the first ball struck Stuart, who was trying to pacify him. Fuller then ran between the two and received a mortal wound.

Moreland Returned to House.

Moreland disappeared after the shooting, but later returned and sat in the kitchen of the house. There he was arrested several hours later.

The two injured men were rushed to the hospital here in a carriage. This evening an operation was performed on Fuller, when it was found that the big ball had plowed its way through his stomach and liver, burying itself in the muscles of the back. The man bled much internally and has remained unconscious. A notary is at the hospital waiting to take a statement if Fuller revives enough to speak.

Robert Fuller is a prominent resident of Franklin township. Three years ago he retired to the farm after working on the railroad for a number of years. He was for seven years yardmaster at the Hill Farm mine.

Stuart is 19 years old and resides at Vanderbilt. His wound is serious, but not fatal.

Nursed His Victim.

"Jimmy" Johnston, colored, of Uniontown, shot down John Curtis last night in a quarrel resulting from the revival of an old feud, and then tenderly nursed him until this morning. It was midnight when the shooting took place in "Coon Hollow." This morning Johnston helped carry Curtis to the train for his removal to the hospital here, and then fled. His strange conduct is a puzzle to the officers, who are on his trail today.

Johnston and Curtis, both colored, have been in the vicinity of Uniontown for several months. Both men came from Tennessee. Years ago they loved the same girl in the south and the old bad feeling has always rankled in their hearts. Several times the men have had fights with varying results. Last night they met at the home of Lizzie Eckman, a white woman who keeps a store in the "hollow."

Fired Three Shots.

The old quarrel was renewed and the men fell to fighting. Johnston drew a revolver and fired three shots. One ploughed its way through the body of Curtis, who fell in a pool of blood. Johnston made terrible gashes in the head of the prostrate man with the butt of his revolver. Then his conduct changed and he watched beside his victim until morning dawned.

Surgeons at the Cottage State hospital here say this evening that the life of Curtis is measured by minutes. He was operated upon this evening. He was unconscious from loss of blood. This evening he revived for a time and made an ante-mortem statement to County Detective Alexander McBeth and Notary Pasquale Sufano.

McBeth and Uniontown officers are hunting for the fugitive. The shooting caused great excitement among the colored population of Coon Hollow.

Shot His Mother.

ALTOONA, PA., Feb. 16.—(Special.)—Clem Sidler, aged 18, residing at Fairview, a suburb of this city, shot his mother through the thigh today, inflicting a serious, though not necessarily fatal, wound. Sidler had had some trouble with his father, John Sidler, about his wages and went home today in an intoxicated condition. An altercation between the two occurred and Clem pulled a revolver out of his pocket and attempted to shoot his father. The latter struck at his son just as he fired and the shot took effect in the woman's thigh.

Fatal Shooting in Speakeasy.

PARKERSBURG, W. VA., Feb. 16.—(Special.)—Fry Mayfield, alias John Smith, a negro, was arrested here this afternoon and is being held for the authorities of Taylor county. He is accused of murdering Peter Kimes, a white man, in a speakeasy fight at Flemington last night. There was a general drunken row among a lot of miners at the speakeasy and the firing became general. Kimes, who was an Englishman, was killed, and Paul McPhail, another negro, was fatally shot in the side, it is alleged, by Kimes. Mayfield walked to Bridgeport, where he took a train for Parkersburg.

Killed by An Officer.

SCRANTON, PA., Feb. 16.—Michael Davis, a special officer of Moosic borough, shot and killed Peter King, a miner, during a quarrel in a Minooka speakeasy about 1 o'clock this morning. King, who was six feet tall and weighed 210 pounds, moved toward Davis in a threatening manner when their argument was heated, whereupon Davis pulled a 38-caliber revolver. They grappled and Davis emptied the five chambers in rapid succession. Three of the bullets entered King's body, causing almost instant death. Both men had been drinking heavily and Davis was considerably under the influence of drink. He was locked up in the county jail. The revolver with which the shooting was done was purchased by Davis only last night.

MACHINE DESECRATES SCHOOL

ONE REPEATER REVEALS PLOT

LARKIN WILL WIN HIS FIGHT

Beer and Liquor Served at Machine Meeting in School House.

YOUNG MEN WERE ASKED TO ATTEND

Stimulants Seemed to Stir Up Lagging Enthusiasm of Audience.

RING SPEECH WAS MADE

The members of the Citizens party in the Seventeenth ward are very indignant over what they consider the most indecent action of the campaign this winter. Some very harsh statements are made about the leaders of the machine forces in the ward.

It seems that last Thursday night there was a gathering in one of the ward school houses, known as Washington No. 1. To this party were invited principally young men, with the intention of enlisting their votes next Tuesday. A few of the fathers were also pressed to come and take part in the festivities. When the time for the meeting arrived quite a crowd of men had gathered.

When it was discovered that there was to be absolutely no ceremony at the gathering. Every one was to be at home and have a good time, and to further this laudable ambition there was a supply of liquid refreshments on tap.

Refreshments Were Served.

Seven cases of beer and a quantity of whisky had been provided and soon the party was a merry one. The shouts were all for the machine and the generosity which had provided this plentiful supply of intoxicating beverages.

After some little time had been spent in drinking, and when every one had reached that "mellow" mood usually following numerous potations, the ring leader of the meeting made a speech. He lauded the ring and its ways and explained how no intelligent man could help voting to keep the machine government in power. He even went so far as to appeal to the already befuddled wits of his auditors in support of his assertions regarding the excellence of the ring government.

When he closed there were more cheers and then the remainder of the liquids, which by that time was not large, was consumed. It is asserted by people who knew of the meeting that when it was over several of the men were unable to walk as straight as they would ordinarily have been able to do.

Coates Is Angry.

Former Assistant Fire Chief William Coats is one of the leaders of the Citizens movement in the Seventeenth ward. He and his friends are very angry at this desecration of the school building and say that as soon as the election is over there will be something done about it. They vouch for the truth of the statements made about the meeting and say that if necessary they will make affidavits to that effect.

They assert that the only reason for this meeting arose from the fear of the ring adherents of impending defeat. They are taking advantage of every means possible to secure votes and the Citizens leaders intimate that quite a sum of money has changed hands, accounting for the changed attitudes of some men who were lined up with the Citizens party a few weeks ago and are now talking for the machine.

Citizens' Wrath Aroused.

The storm of indignation which has been aroused among the voters of the ward now that the knowledge of last Thursday's meeting has gotten abroad is very great. Citizens leaders say that even if the machine leaders gained a few votes by their action they will lose two for every one, as almost every self-respecting man in the ward has been most outspoken in his condemnation of any political party which would sanction such a proceeding, or of political leaders who would participate in it.

Mothers of the children who attend the school feel it almost an imposition to ask them to send their children to a school which is used as a meeting place for a party of men who drink, swear and smoke and spit about. Many say that the air must be poluted after such an assemblage and is not fit for innocent children to breathe.

BURNED BY A COMB.

Knoxville Minister's Wife in Serious Condition From the Explosion of a Celluloid Ornament.

KNOXVILLE, TENN., Feb. 16.—(Special.)—Mrs. Dr. M. W. Edgerton, wife of the Rev. Dr. Edgerton, pastor of the swell First Baptist church of Knoxville, was horribly burned and may die as a result of wearing a celluloid comb about the house while engaged in household work.

Mrs. Edgerton knelt near a grate fire to pick up something on the floor and the comb became ignited. Before she could secure assistance her face and head were badly burned. Medical attention served to only partially allay her great suffering and her condition is serious. This is the third accident of the same nature in this city during the past 12 months.

Now is the time to regenerate Pittsburgh.

WILLIAM COATES,
Former Assist. Fire Chief, Who Voices Indignation of Seventeenth Ward Citizens.

REPEATERS' HIDING PLACES DISCOVERED

One Man Under Arrest Divulged Where Many Gangs Could Be Found.

Representatives of the Citizens party are working hard to discover all the repeaters planted by the anti-Larkin forces about the city. One of the leaders of these gangs was captured yesterday afternoon in a downtown hotel and has divulged the hiding place of a party from Philadelphia which he piloted here.

Through the efforts of some detectives employed the leaders of the Citizens party believe they are in possession of most of the plans of their opponents for running the election. It is said that there are more than 400 repeaters located in the first seven wards of the city and the First ward of Allegheny. The hiding places of some of these have been divulged by the man who was captured yesterday afternoon.

In one house in the East End seven men are registered. Everyone in the neighborhood knows that there is only one man living there. The names are all fictitious save one, which is that of a solicitor who left Pittsburgh some time ago.

Hiding Places Found.

The Democratic leaders have been equally vigilant in their lookout for repeaters. The hiding places of 18 gentlemen of this ilk were discovered in the Fourteenth ward yesterday and nine in the Fourth ward. In the Fourteenth ward six of the men make their headquarters in a stable in Oakland avenue and 12 in a Forward avenue house. Forward avenue is just outside the Fourteenth ward, but the men are for use there.

Democratic City Chairman George W. Guthrie has announced that by a decision of Judge Paxson it is not necessary for a man to cast an illegal vote to render him liable to arrest. According to the decision, if intention to violate the election laws can be shown, arrest is justified. The Citizens and Democrats will be prepared to act upon this decision on Tuesday and will arrest all men who try to cast an illegal vote. Informations will be made against them before an alderman friendly to the Citizens movement.

Divided Into Squads.

The repeaters in the city are divided into squads of from 5 to 10. Each squad is captained by a professional repeater from Philadelphia or Baltimore. This captain is in possession of a list of the precincts in which his men are to vote and the names under which their votes will be cast. In each district where illegal voting is to be done some well-known ward politician will be on hand to welcome the captain of the gang whenever he appears, and the recognition thus given is expected to be enough to allow the vote to be cast without challenge.

When the arrest of the repeater above mentioned took place yesterday afternoon the man readily accompanied the officer who arrested him, as he feared that he was wanted by the city authorities for another crime almost as serious as illegal voting. He was taken to Citizens headquarters, where, in the presence of Secretary S. S. Leslie, he was questioned. Mr. Leslie gives out the following statement of the interview between the detective and the prisoner:

The Repeater Gave In.

"You are Wilkins of Philadelphia, and you believe that you will have easy sailing here?"

"I'm not Wilkins, and I don't know who you are. I belong in Pittsburgh and work in the glass factory on the North Side."

"We have no glass factories on the North Side. You forgot your cue. The glass houses are on the South Side."

The detective then told the fellow how he knew him and under what circumstances they last met. He threatened to arrest him on an old charge, which will probably be made known today.

Quaking with fear, the prisoner told the following story in the presence of Mr. Leslie and another prominent member of the Citizens committee of 25:

"I am —— ——, and I live in Philadelphia in Pine street. I have been in communication with some of our ward politicians in regard to bringing a gang

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Success of John B. Larkin Is Regarded as Certain.

CITIZENS WILL HAVE CONTROL OF COUNCILS

Majority of Six or Eight in the Common Branch Is Conceded on All Sides.

CLOSE FIGHT FOR SELECT

The election of John B. Larkin as controller of Pittsburgh is considered certain. Even ring leaders privately figure that his majority cannot be under 1,000.

The machine forces are pretty generally conceded select council by a majority of one.

Common council is given to the Citizens by the more conservative machine prophets by a majority of from six to eight.

Senator William Flinn said last night that he had no figures for the public. The machine's public prediction is that Joseph E. Lewis will be re-elected by 5,000 majority, if there is not a revolution. The saving clause will be noticed.

George W. Guthrie, chairman of the Democratic city committee, and Charles S. Crawford, chairman of the Citizens party, predict a general victory for the anti-machine forces. They believe that any attempt of the opposition to win by fraud will be successfully frustrated.

From a machine man who is on the inside actual ring estimates of the Lewis strength were reduced. They show that Lewis cannot possibly secure over 900 majority in 34 wards, exclusive of the Nineteenth, Twentieth, Twenty-first and Twenty-second wards.

Larkin to Win.

Those familiar with this campaign know that each of these municipal divisions are Larkin strongholds. At the lowest possible estimate they will give Larkin a clear majority of 1,000 over Lewis. It must be remembered that this is all based on machine claims for the other 34 wards, and they have some marked for Lewis that he will not get.

George W. Guthrie sizes up this fight when he says that the movement is much stronger than the one of six years ago. He is in a position to judge. Then he was the candidate for mayor, and in this contest he has been one of the directors and has been in almost every ward. "We have with us," said Mr. Guthrie, "all the people who were with us in 1896 and many who were not assisting us then. We have the best organization that was ever gotten together to fight this ring and our system of manning the polls has never been equaled in this or any other city. There will be considerable surprise when the names of our watchers and overseers become known. Many of them are lawyers and thoroughly conversant with the election laws.

Will Look Out for Fraud.

"The watchers and overseers will remain until the votes are counted and the count must be according to law. One ballot must be taken out of the box at a time. We believe that we have fought a winning fight and knowing that our system for guarding against fraud is excellent, I cannot see how we can be robbed of our victory."

For the first time in the history of the machine it has had to do battle in every ward in the city. Every machine leader had plenty to do at home, and could not stray into a neighboring ward. The preliminary work was well done and the orators have stirred the people in every district.

Conner's Work a Handicap.

The greatest handicap to the anti-machine forces was the delinquent tax office. While 6,000 orders were rushed out for the machine, in a day and a half, the rest of Sunday being broken to do it, thousands of orders for receipts were never honored by Samuel P. Conner. Even though thousands have been disfranchised by the machine, there are still sufficient voters to defeat the men who have endeavored to throttle them.

Another thing to fight against has been the padded registry lists. Men who are dead, and others, who are unknown, have been put on the books by ring registers. In some cases the courts have purged these lists, but there are still many names on the books that should not be there. Tomorrow men will try to personate them and if the election board is corrupt, there is danger of the fraud being perpetrated.

Two Notable Victories.

The Citizens won two notable victories in the courts. One was the securing of the right to a circle and the other was making it impossible to number the ballots. By marking a cross at the head of the Citizen ticket the voters of every ward can record their choice and there will be no danger of the ballot being thrown out on a technicality. The secrecy secured by prohibiting the election officer from numbering the ballots will allow many people to vote the Citizen ticket, who before were afraid to do so because of the fear that the machine would find them out, and relentlessly follow them through life.

The issue in this fight has been the overthrow of the postscript administration. A vote for the machine ticket means a vote for the indorsement of everything that Gov. William A. Stone has done in connection with the ripper legislation.

Is Stone Afraid?

While this has been a contest that more directly concerned the political future of Gov. Stone than any other man, Stone has not come to Pittsburgh. Some people say that he is afraid and others are of the opinion that Flinn will not allow him. Stone has not been off the train in Pittsburgh since he made the deal to oust Maj. A. M. Brown. He has not even gone to Allegheny, which is generally considered a haven.

Senator M. S. Quay has said that if this city gives John B. Larkin a majority, the candidacy of John P. Elkin for governor will no longer stand as a possible barrier to Republican success in the fall. The eye of every Stone machine politician in the state is on Pittsburgh. From Philadelphia aid and comfort is being sent to the local machine. The departments of the state are being used to force corporations to oppose the candidacy of Larkin, at least this is openly asserted by one of the machine's prominent lieutenants. The election of Larkin will shift the political plans of the managers of the state.

Councilmanic Fight.

There is a fight for council in every one of the 38 wards. Half of select is to be elected and all of common. In the latter branch there are 31 members. There are 19 holdovers in select and 14 of these can be counted for the machine, unless polit-

WANT A FULL VOTE CAST.

Citizens Party Issues Appeal to Business Men Asking That Employes Be Given Opportunity to Get to the Polls.

TO THE BUSINESS MEN OF PITTSBURGH:

The committee of twenty-five is confident that the contest for good government in Pittsburgh is won. But, it is necessary that the entire vote should be polled and to that end we would respectfully ask that all business firms, manufacturing establishments and other employers of labor will make arrangements to give ample time to their employes to get to the polls for casting their votes at the election of Tuesday next.

We would further ask that where the services of men are desired as workers or watchers at the polls, that such men be excused for the day, and that every opportunity be afforded to each voter, however employed, to attend to his public duties and so promote the welfare of all.

CHARLES S. CRAWFORD,
Chairman Committee of Twenty-five.

ALBERT YORK SMITH,
Secretary of Citizens Party.

LARKIN WILL WIN HIS FIGHT

ical upheavals in their wards tomorrow would indicate the advisability of getting under cover. If the 14 stick, the machine will have to elect six more to secure a majority. It is quite probable that they will be able to do this.

The real battle will be in common, and even machine men figure a safe anti-Flinn majority there.

In the First ward Thomas Delaney, an anti-machine man, has no opposition for common council.

The Second is a battle ground, with a member of select and one of common to elect. William Long and James A. McKee are the Citizens nominees. James W. Platt, the present member of select, and Edward J. Edwards, are the machine men. This is a ward that Platt has always controlled, as he was able to fuse with the Democrats. This year the Democrats are against him. The registry lists in this ward contain many names that should not be there, and there have been rumors of repeating.

In the Third Ward.

Frank W. Bonini is the machine candidate for common in the Third. John W. Hedderick is on the Citizens ticket and the result is uncertain.

In the Fourth Peter J. Donohoe, for select and John Martin for common, Citizens candidates, are booked for winners. James Conlon and Charles Sweeney are their machine opponents. The Sweeney family is charged with trying to trade off Conlon, and this has started the Andersons on the warpath. This is the ward where there is a population of 1,900, and before the courts purged the list there were 900 voters on the registry. Every inch of the ground will be fought tomorrow and any attempt at crookedness will receive prompt attention. John S. Sweeney, the one Democratic member of the legislature from this county, lives in the Fourth, and it is generally believed that he will work for Lewis.

Citizens Will Win.

P. J. Barry and J. J. Hughes will win in the Fifth for select and common councilmen. They are on the Citizens ticket. John Hamilton, a Democrat, is on the machine ticket for select, with George W. Murren as a running mate. The machine has done everything to defeat Barry and Hughes, but have failed.

Dr. J. P. Shaw, Citizens candidate for common in the Sixth, is believed to be a winner. This is an old Flinn ward, but W. S. Hayes, Peter Hermes and John P. McTighe have been leading successful fights there for some years. E. A. Schaeffer is the machine candidate. Alderman John Martin will be re-elected.

Samuel Shenkan is making a winning fight in the Seventh for common council against John B. Moore, the present machine incumbent. 'Squire Connor is backing Shenkan and Adolph Edlis is battling for Moore in the hope that victory will land him a seat in the legislature.

McKelvey's Stiff Battle.

William McKelvey is making the payroll in the Eighth, Recorder J. O. Brown's old ward, spend sleepless nights. He is the nominee of the Citizens party and has the best organiation the ward has ever known. J. M. West is the machine candidate. The result is in doubt.

In the ninth Thomas Geary and John Gouger, Democratic-Citizens candidates for select and common councils will be elected. The machine is running John Strott and G. F. W. Wilharm. Alderman J. J. Kirby is considered a sure winner for re-election.

In the Tenth Patrick Kearns, an anti-machine man, will be re-elected to select council. Robert J. Sheehan, a Flinn Democrat will be returned to common. Sheehan is on both the Democratic and machine tickets, while the Citizens have no candidate for common. John B. Louday, is the ring candidate against Kearns.

Eleventh Is In Doubt.

For the first time in years the machine is uncertain about carrying the Eleventh for councils. Henry Fitzpatrick and Harry A. Lamb are the Citizens candidates for common. Dr. George Vaux and John T. Fox are the machine nominees. Arch Mackrell and County Treasurer Thomas G. McClure are making the fight for the ring, and they have their hands full. The Citizens management is confident of success. There was an unsuccessful attempt on the part of the machine to split the Democratic vote.

The contest in the Twelfth is in doubt. The fight is for a seat in common council between Henry Hogmaier, Citizens, and Eugene Schwartzwelder, machine.

Thirteenth ward people are of the opinions that the Citizens candidates, William Schempp, select, and C. C. Shad and H. H. Francis, common council, will be elected. The machine has Alfred Lawton for select and Otto Ehenger and Richard McNally, for common. The latter is a machine Democrat. It is the hardest fight the ward has known since the McEldowney-Miller contest.

Booth Seems Certain.

The Fourteenth is the scene of one of the largest battles in the city. Here Senator William Flinn is making a special effort to defeat his old business partner, James J. Booth, who is the Citizens candidate for select councilman. The candidates for common council on the ticket with him are C. Beckert, Jr., W. H. Stevenson, Daniel F. Crawford and John Lauler. They are looked upon as winners. Earnest F. Rusch, the machine opponent of Booth, admits that his fight is not won. The men on his ticket for common council are John M. Anderson, Frederick Zingenfeiser, W. A. Magee and Alex McKnight. Anderson is the former director of the department of charities. His record as manager of the poor farm is not calculated to inspire confidence. Democratic leaders claim that they have located 18 repeaters in this ward.

Upperman's Gloomy Outlook.

John Upperman is struggling to be returned as select councilman from the Fifteenth ward. He is the machine whip in the upper branch and Flinn needs him. He is opposed by John E. Wainwright, Citizens candidate. Mr. Wainwright has the record of having never lost a fight in his ward. His friends are confident that the record will not be broken. James J. Jack is the Citizens candidate for common councilman. His machine opponent is Thomas A. Warren. Jack is considered a winner.

Over the line in the Sixteenth ward the machine is showing the white flag. W. H. Nichols and Thomas O'Brien, Citizens candidates for common council are looked upon as sure winners. Albert Zacharias and Richard Mierzwa have the machine nomination. This is the ward that Assessor George W. Gosser is supposed to deliver to the ring.

Looks Bad for Leslie.

M. G. Leslie and William Brandt are the machine candidates for common council in the Seventeenth ward, the home of the big payroll. Leslie is charged with trading Brandt. Leslie is the president of common council and Flinn has to have him. Hugh Ferguson and Robert Stadleman are the Citizens nominees. They have made an excellent fight and the ward is very much in doubt, with chances in favor of the Citizens.

Mark Lydon and George Naismith are the Citizens candidates for select and common council in the Eighteenth ward. They are opposed by S. J. Wainwright and A. M. Barr, whose names appear in both Republican and Democratic columns. Lydon and Naismith are making a desperate fight and the result is in doubt.

Nineteenth for Citizens.

The Nineteenth will be carried by the Citizens, even if it is the home of Senator Flinn. The Bigelows also live there. The fight for the Citizens has been managed by James M. McKee, and he has had the machine on the run from the first. A Citizens majority of 700 to 900 is probable. The Citizens candidates are C. H. West, select, and Dr. J. P. Sterrett and D. J. Boles for common. The Flinn men are J. R. Vincent, select, George D. Dubarry and W. E. Minor, common.

The Twentieth is another sure Citizens territory. The majority there will probably run into four figures. Charles C. Crawford, Thomas S. Brown and Joseph C. Wasson are the Citizens candidates for common. The machine is opposing them with J. F. Stonerod, F. R. Walters and John C. Kohne.

Big Victory in Twenty-first.

The result in the Twenty-first will be a big Citizens victory. R. H. Douglas, select, George W. McNeil and John W. Wymard, Citizens candidates, are sure winners. James M. Clarke, select, and John W. Griest and F. K. McCance are on the machine ticket. The ticket was changed a number of times, the original candidates with the exception of Clark refusing to run. Philip S. Flinn is managing the machine candidates. There will probably be an attempt to vote the traction employes in this ward, but the men all know that Judge J. H. Reed said that they did not need to take political orders.

There is a three-cornered fight in the Twenty-second. J. S. Wightman and W. S. Woods are the Citizens candidates for select and common. The machine is running F. P. Booth and E. G. Steinert. Some of the Democrats are supporting James F. Keenan and W. T. Edwards.

Fight Is In Doubt.

The fight is in doubt so far as the councilmanic ticket is concerned, with the chances in favor of Wightman and Woods. The surest way to whip the machine is to put an X in the Citizens column.

The Twenty-third ward will be taken away from the machine. Dr. W. D. O'Brien for select and W. H. Barker and Frederick Beehner compose the Citizens ticket. Even machine leaders look upon them as winners. These candidates, with the exception of Beehner, are on the Democratic ticket. J. J. King takes Beehner's place on this ticket. The people of the ward will vote the Citizens ticket. Attempts of the machine to capture the Baltimore & Ohio and Jones & Laughlins vote have failed. The traction men have the personal assurance of President James H. Reed, of the Philadelphia Company, that they will not be forced to vote the machine or any other ticket. With this promise, there is no danger of them losing their position even if a superintendent would order them to vote for Thomas H. Thorn, C. C. Kohne and Elmer E. Anderson, the machine candidates.

Machine May Lose All Three.

The Twenty-fourth ward will probably be wrested from the machine. Joseph Schlernitzauer for select and Dr. M. E. O'Brien for common are the Citizens candidates. William A. Larimer and Thomas K. Davis are on the machine ticket.

Like the Twenty-fourth, the Twenty-fifth ward is in some slight doubt. David Lewis in the Citizens nominee for common. He is opposed by George H. Wellinger on the machine ticket. In both of these wards the ring hopes to be able to force corporations to help it out.

The Twenty-sixth is a strong machine ward, but the Citizens are hopeful of electing Dr. George P. Rossman to common council. The machine is running John F. Semmelrock.

Twenty-Seventh Is Safe.

The Twenty-seventh will give Larkin a good majority and no doubt elect John P. Bladauf and Gebhardt Sohner common councilmen. The machine have Louis Frederich and Arthur D. Gue in the field.

Assessor Frank Klumpf is responsible to the machine for the Twenty-eighth ward. He is having a fight to elect Louis Schneider to select and John Lewis to common council. The Citizens are running Henry Yost and Louis Kimmel. Inspector William McShane tried to get Kimmel off the ticket but failed. The ward is in the doubtful class.

The Twenty-ninth ward has been conceded to the Citizens. John C. Aul is the candidate for common council. The machine had hoped to elect Joseph G. Armstrong. This ward will give a big Larkin majority.

The Thirtieth ward will elect Joseph Wall, an anti-machine common councilman. Wall is a Democrat and is backed by City Assessor Thomas Mullen, who is a Democrat at all times.

Payroll Will Not Avail.

The machine has a number of ring Democrats on the payroll, chief among the number being Select Councilman Morgan, but they will be unable to elect David J. Martin, the ring cadidate. The ward will give Larkin the usual Democratic majority.

The result of the fight in the Thirty-first ward cannot be predicted. It is a three-cornered affair with the chance in favor of the Citizens. They are running W. E. Lang for select and Jacob Shuck for common. The machine has Louis Fritz and C. C. Williams, while some of the Democrats are supporting A. W. Pence and John H. Keady.

The Thirty-second will be carried by Jacob Soffel, who is on the Citizens and Republican ticket. The Democrats nominated James F. Morrison. This war is the home of Lewis, and every effort is being made to push up his majority. The machine is hoping to make it 400.

Democrats Confident.

The Democrats say that James A. Kirby will be elected common councilman in the Thirty-third. He is opposed by William Rodgers, a machine man.

In the Thirty-fourth John J. Shenkel, the machine candidate for select, has no opposition from the Citizens party. John Hogue is on both the machine and Democratic tickets for common. Patrick Sullivan is the Democratic nominee for select.

The Thirty-fifth ward, for which Postmaster George L. Holliday is held responsible by the machine, is likely to select John Costello to select and William C. Reitz to common council. They are Citizens candidates. The machine is running Charles J. Peddler and George S. Ewing. The ward will give Larkin a majority.

Hershberger Working Hard.

Thomas P. Hershberger, who is candidate on the Citizens ticket for common council from the Thirty-sixth ward, is redoubling his efforts to win the fight tomorrow, and is very confident. He has been a resident of the ward for many years, and bears an unblemished business reputation and a high standing for honesty.

Four years ago Mr. Hershberger was elected to common council. He served one term and then retired, disgusted at his inability to make any headway against the strong machine majority in that body. At that time he turned the nomination over to Charles Cavett, who is now candidate on the machine ticket against Mr. Hershberger.

Mr. Hershberger has been responsible for many public improvements in the Thirty-sixth ward the credit for which is claimed by others. The general opinion seems to be that Mr. Hershberger will win out after a hard fight.

The Thirty-seventh is a doubtful ward. J. W. Shearer is the Citizens candidate and the machine is for Charles L. Zollinger. Shearer is showing a great deal of strength.

Fred Fichtel for select and C. W. Cross for common are on both the Citizens and Republican tickets in the Thirty-eighth ward. They are opposed by D. E. Gilchrist and Oliver McKee, who have the indorsement of the Socialist-Labor and Democratic parties.

THE WEATHER.

Time of sunrise today..............6:52 a. m.
Time of sunset today...............5:37 p. m.

Daily report for yesterday, furnished by the United States weather bureau:

Time.	Baro.	Temp.	Hum.	Wind.	Weather.
8 a. m.	30.13	13	81	N.W.	Pt. cldy
8 p. m.	29.86	31	58	N.W.	Cloudy

Comparative temperature and precipitation for six years:

Temperature.	1901	1900	1899	1898	1897	1896
Maximum	48	28	48	22	41	32
Minimum	25	19	20	13	31	7
Mean	36	24	32	18	36	20
Precipitation	1	T.	T.	.02	0	.13

Maximum temperature, 5 p. m.	34
Minimum temperature, 8 a. m.	13
Mean temperature	24
Normal temperature for 31 years	34
Deficiency in temperature for the day	11
Deficiency in temperature since Feb. 1	1.96
Deficiency in temperature since Jan. 1	2.02
Normal precipitation for 31 years	.10
Precipitation for the day	.10
Deficiency in precipitation since Feb. 1	1.23
Deficiency in precipitation since Jan. 1	2.89

Government Weather Report.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 16.—Forecast for Monday and Tuesday:

Western Pennsylvania, West Virginia—Partly cloudy Monday and Tuesday, rising temperature Tuesday; light variable winds.

Ohio—Partly cloudy Monday and probably Tuesday, rising temperature Tuesday, light northwest winds, becoming variable.

Observations taken at weather bureau stations at 8 p. m.:

Pittsburgh	31	Cloudy	Buffalo	18	Cloudy
Cairo	62	Cloudy	Cleveland	20	Cloudy
Kan. City	30	Cloudy	Omaha	28	Cloudy
Cincinnati	26	Cloudy	N. Platte	36	Cloudy
Parkersb'g	32	Cloudy	Rapid City	34	Cloudy
Indian'lis	22	Ptcldy	Dodge City	42	Ptcldy
Columbus	24	Cloudy	Cheyenne	46	Clear
Wash'ton	34	Snow	Salt L. City	62	Clear
Oklahoma	54	Clear	Denver	56	Clear
Grd. Haven	28	Cloudy	Des Moines	28	Cloudy
Vicksburg	44	Clear	Montgomery	42	Ptcldy
Chattan'ga	34	Clear	N. Orleans	50	Clear
St. Louis	30	Cloudy	Jacksonville	42	Clear
Abilene	62	Clear	Helena	48	Clear
Louisville	28	Cloudy	Calgary	16	Cloudy
Memphis	38	Clear	Marquette	22	Snow
Chicago	24	Ptcldy	St. Paul	24	Clear
Davenport	20	Ptcldy	Bismarck	16	Cloudy
Philadelp'a	34	Cloudy	Huron	22	Cloudy
N. Y. City	34	Cloudy			

At a meeting of Teamsters assembly No. 1577, K. of L., on February 16, 1902, the following resolution was passed: To whom it may concern. This will certify that a current report has been circulated concerning the candidate for select council in the Fifth ward, Pittsburgh, viz., James Hamilton, that he scabbed on the Teamsters assembly No. 1577 during the P. C. Jenkins strike is malicious and unfounded, and that Mr. Hamilton was a member in good standing during that time and did not go to work as reported. We feel that it is our duty to pronounce this report as a fake, pure and simple, and done to injure Mr. Hamilton. Very respectfully, James Hodan, M. W., James Hessey, R. S. [Adv.]

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MILLER TAKES EXCEPTION.

Does Not Agree With Some of Delinquent Tax Collector Conner's Statements.

J. J. Miller, chairman of the Democratic city executive committee, takes exception to the statements made concerning him by Delinquent Tax Collector S. P. Conner. He says:

"The statements by Delinquent Tax Collector Conner as to my indorsement of the conduct of his office are not based on the facts.

"He asserted to me that he was issuing tax receipts to all parties entitled to them on orders, where the money was on deposit; that he would continue to do so—that he was treating all political organizations alike, and that he would not withhold any receipts from any persons, or any organization.

"I told him if that was all true, no fault could be found, and no more could be expected of anyone.

"It is apparent from the recent admissions made by his chief, as well as from the manner in which Mr. Conner has not issued receipts, that he conducted his office for the primary benefit of the ring organization. It is further apparent that the criticism by the newspapers on the conduct of his office in this matter has not been severe enough."

Express your disapproval of extravagance and inefficiency by voting against the machine.

KEEPER FOUGHT OFF THREE SEA LIONS IN THE WATER

He Fell While Feeding Them and They Instantly Attacked Him. Spectators Were Frightened.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

PHILADELPHIA, PA., Feb. 16.—In the presence of nearly 200 persons Frank Geiger, a keeper in the zoo, struggled today to avoid a fierce onslaught of three sea lions. He escaped, but only by showing great presence of mind.

The feeding time for the sea lions is 4 p. m., and, as usual, women and children were present to see them eat their allotment of fish. Built out over the little pond where they are kept is a small bridge on which Geiger stands when he throws the fish to them.

While there this afternoon his foot slipped on a piece of ice, throwing him off his feet. The basket of fish he carried fell into the pond. In falling Geiger caught the side of the bridge and for a moment he struggled in a vain effort to get back. When his strength gave out he fell into the water in the midst of the sea lions, which were devouring the fish.

When Geiger fell women screamed and men stood amazed. When Geiger reached the water he went under and the three sea lions dived after him. He soon came to the surface, striking at the lions with both hands, and plunged in the direction of the shore. By that time men on shore recovered from their excitement and assisted Geiger out of the water. His hands were lacerated from striking the lions, but beyond that and getting thoroughly soaked in the cold water he escaped injury.

Vote for the Citizens' ticket and fair competition on public contracts.

PITIABLE CONDITION OF A BRILLIANT ACTRESS

Theresa Vaughn Is Now Hopelessly Insane and Cannot Survive But a Short Time.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

WORCESTER, MASS., Feb. 16.—A pathetic story of the sad condition of Theresa Vaughn, a former stage favorite, comes from within the gloomy walls of the Worcester Insane asylum, where she is confined in the ward called "lower Jo," used exclusively for the violent and incurable inmates.

The patient, it is said, is failing fast, and, as each succeeding period of violence exhausts her more and more, it is thought the end of her sufferings is not far distant.

She was committed to the asylum on April 17 of last year, on the application of her mother, Mrs. Otto of Chelsea, with whom she had been living for over a year previously. She was forced to retire from the stage because of rapidly failing memory.

In the asylum where she is confined, even the attendants, hardened to the most pathetic sights, speak of her case as one of the most pitiable they have ever observed. She becomes so violent at times that she tears all her garments into shreds and they are generally of the coarse, heavy material that the hopelessly insane are made to wear.

Occasionally, in her calmer periods, she is robed in some of her costlier and more presentable costumes and it is then that members of her family are admitted to see her. Such occasions are becoming more infrequent and this is taken to indicate that the patient is fast nearing the end of her sufferings.

Get your vote in early, and then remind your neighbor.

THREE SICK BOYS HAVE QUIET SUNDAY AT GROTON

One of the Patients Was Restless But Young Roosevelt Continues to Improve.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

GROTON, MASS., Feb. 16.—The three sick boys in the Groton school infirmary had a very quiet Sunday, and from a medical point of view satisfactory one, although in the morning there was some uneasiness about Howard Potter. Dr. I. C. Shattuck was recalled by Dr. Warren for consultation in his case, and later it was stated that young Potter had not had a setback, but simply a spell of restlessness. Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., and William Gammell, Jr., continued to show much improvement.

Mrs. Roosevelt spent the greater portion of the day at the infirmary with her son, and did not leave for the Gardner house until late in the afternoon. Miss Alice Roosevelt went for a ride in the morning with Grafton D. Cushing of Boston, who spent Sunday here. She lunched later at the home of John Lawrence and this afternoon spent considerable time at the infirmary.

Mrs. James Roosevelt, an aunt, arrived here last night.

THREE STEAMERS COLLIDE.

Dalton Hall Is Cut Down by Two Vessels Near Liverpool.

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 16.—The Furness-Allen line steamer Dalton Hall, Capt. Gordon, bound to St. Johns, N. F., and Halifax, N. S., from this port, was in collision at the mouth of the Mersey with the steamers Marpessa and Sutherland, both of this port.

The Dalton Hall was cut down to her bilge on the starboard side and had to be beached. The damage to the other steamers has not yet been ascertained.

For Over Sixty Years

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for children while teething. It soothes the child, softens the gums, cures wind colic and is the best remedy for Diarrhoea. Twenty-five cents a bottle. Sold by all druggists.

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Town .... County..............................

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Send all ballots to Excursion Department, Pittsburgh Gazette and Chronicle Telegraph. Ballots not legibly filled out will not be counted. Last ballot will be printed May 31, 1902. Ballots from Sunday Gazette count three votes.

SCHWAB SAYS EUROPE IS DAZED

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exaggerations and misrepresentations. He declined to discuss the matter, as he said he considered it closed.

Traveling with Mr. Schwab was Charles T. Schoen, an old business associate, who was until a year ago, the president of the Pressed Steel Car Company of Pittsburgh. It is said to be Mr. Schoen's intention to organize a new steel car company to employ 5,000 men and give investment to $3,000,000. In this enterprise, rumor also has it that Mr. Schwab will have an interest.

Schoen Glad to Be Back.

Mr. Schoen was greatly pleased to get home and he admitted it. He said that he was tired of rusting out, and he expressed the intention of getting back into harness in the immediate future.

"It has been a very pleasant trip, and enjoyed by all—all except the voyage homeward," said Mr. Schoen. "Mr. Schwab has been in the best of health and spirits, and has been the life of the party ever since we left New York. It has not, however, been much of a rest for him. He has been in demand everywhere, and has had to dodge social engagements. He was received very kindly by the emperor of Austria, who seemed to be delighted to have the opportunity of making a personal study of the man of whom he had heard so much. He asked so many and so pointed questions that Mr. Schwab had some difficulty in keeping his secrets, and at the same time showing due respects to his majesty. He was unable to accept a second audience.

Tossed to Settle Debt.

"While in Vienna I ran short of change one day, and borrowed 300 kroner of Mr. Schwab. The debt escaped my memory until we reached London. Then the matter of exchange came up to determine how much the sum would amount to in sterling.

"Mr. Schwab tossed a coin, with the words: 'Doubles or quits. Heads you owe me 600 kroner; tails we are even.' It came tails, and the debt was cancelled. Now, that will give you an idea of Mr. Schwab when he has put aside business cares.

"But it is not true that he is fond of gambling, nor is it true that he indulged in heavy play at Monte Carlo. The stories that were sent to America were much exaggerated. There was no plunging; no attempts to break the bank. I know that Mr. Schwab was deeply grieved at the attitude of the press of America. When a man is the head of a great concern such as the Steel Corporation, sensational reports may work him much injury."

Europe Has Its Own Markets.

Mr. Schoen was asked if it is true that Mr. Schwab had said, as reported, that Germany and France have nothing to fear from the American steel industries.

"It is probably true," he said. "I did not hear the remark, but it was probably made. Mr. Schwab may have said that Europe has its own markets, which cannot be taken away by the American manufacturers, while Great Britain may suffer from our steel output."

"What about your own plans?" was asked.

"They are immature. You may say, however, that I am tired of loafing. I am going back to Pittsburgh and go to work if I have to accept a clerkship at $10 a week. It is true that I do not know just what I will do, but I have not reached an age when I can remain idle. The plans that have been made for me by my friends through the press may have to be changed somewhat."

Met by Many Friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Schwab were met at the pier by their relatives and a host of friends. His mother was the first to receive his greeting, and then he turned to his father, who has the appearance of one in the prime of life. The party left the pier in a double carriage and drove directly to the Lorraine apartments at Forty-fifth street and Fifth avenue.

Mr. Schwab left New York on the La Savoie, of the French line, the day after Christmas. He received a cordial welcome on the other side, but little was heard in this country about his doings until, early in January, reports were sent over by cable concerning his play at Monte Carlo. He was made to appear as a plunger, who was betting the limit at every turn of the wheel, intent only on emulating the man famed in song as the one who "Broke the Bank at Monte Carlo." These reports were given a denial, on authority, as soon as word could be sent to Mr. Schwab of what was being done. He left Monaco and went over into Austria.

Attended a Court Ball.

In Vienna he attended the court ball and was a conspicuous figure among the men of noble birth. Emperor Franz Josef, who was present, sent for Mr. Schwab, who was introduced to his majesty by Prince Wittgenstein. A few days later, at a breakfast given by Prince Metternich at the Hotel Bristol, Mr. Schwab met several princes, as well as the men at the head of the steel industry in Austria.

In London Mr. and Mrs. Schwab were entertained in the house of commons by Joseph Lawrence, M. P., and Archibald W. Maconochie, M. P. On February 7 Mr. Schwab was received at a special audience granted by King Edward VII. That same morning he had breakfast with the lord mayor of London, and in the evening he was at dinner with Sir Thomas Lipton, who is said to have arranged the audience with the king.

King Was Well Informed.

To his most intimate friends Mr. Schwab has said that the king displayed a wonderfully accurate knowledge of American affairs, political as well as industrial. He was cordial and expressed a deep friendship for the United States.

Without delay Mr. Schwab will enter upon the duties which he put aside temporarily a few weeks ago. He will preside at the meeting of the steel corporation tomorrow in Hoboken. It is his intention now to go to Pittsburgh some time this week, and he may make a trip through the far west to study conditions. If this is not done he will be back at his desk in this city in less than a week.

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VISIT TO FORT SUMTER.

Cincinnati Visitors to Charleston Exposition Spent Sunday Seeing the Sights.

CHARLESTON, S. C., Feb. 16.—Mayor Fleishman and the Cincinnati party had a harbor excursion today. They landed at Fort Sumter from the port, the band playing "The Star-Spangled Banner" on the ramparts. The steamer carried them to the site of the naval station on Cooper river and to the exposition on Ashley river.

The feature of the excursion was an address by Col. James Armstrong, an ex-confederate soldier and harbor master of Charleston. The party left here for Cincinnati tonight by way of Atlanta and Chattanooga.

ONE REPEATER REVEALS PLOT

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of men to Pittsburgh for use on Tuesday next. I did not agree to be a 'repeater' until they showed the coin and gave me $30 on the spot.

Liberal Money Won.

"Then I got some of my friends together and asked how they would like to take a trip to Pittsburgh. Being liberal with the money they thought they would pal in with me. I got $50 more for expenses, along with tickets to Allegheny. We went to rooms at No. — Robinson street, where the fellows in Pittsburgh made ready for us. I did not think the fly cop would size me up because I never did business here before. I was certainly in hard luck in running into you this morning, and you would not have caught on if I hadn't looked around the town.

"I've been coaching my crowd, as to how they were to put in their votes next Tuesday, and we had everything fixed to make you fellows look like 6 cents. Several of my pals are here on the same graft, but I haven't seen them, and can't find out where they are planted. We fellows always pull together on a lay like this, and usually get well paid for the work.

Citizens Are Prepared.

"They told us we would be protected here by the police, but from what I can read in the papers I think they are up against it. If you let up on me now I'll leave town tonight and take the gang with me."

Mr. Leslie said the man divulged some important information which he will not make public, but which will help the Citizens to thwart the plans of the machine.

"You can say," he added, "that the Citizens party will be able to cope with any scheme attempted by the ringsters on Tuesday. Our detectives will be on guard and every house occupied by repeaters will be under surveillance. The repeaters, who always work in squads, will be followed to the polls. The first man who attempts to vote will be arrested and an information will be lodged against him before an alderman in sympathy with our movement. We are in a position to capture every man who attempts to vote illegally.

"The fellow who is now under surveillance will not attempt to carry out the wishes of his employers. He will be an important witness for us when the batch of informations against repeaters is lodged on Tuesday."

A Thirty-first ward voter, writing to The Gazette, suggests that it would be wise to open all ballot boxes on Tuesday morning before any votes are cast to prevent their being stuffed the night before. The writer says that he understands some such practice will be attempted.

Vote against the Stone-Flinn ticket and the manipulation of contracts for the favored few.

DISCHARGED EMPLOYES THREATEN ASPHALT WAR

A Number of Experts Formerly Employed by National Asphalt Co., May Form a Rival Concern.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

PHILADELPHIA, PA., Feb. 16.—Threats of trade rivalry are being made against the National Asphalt Company by employes who were dismissed by the receivers under the plan to reduce expenses. Included among the 60 men already discharged and the 100 others who are slated to go are several asphalt experts. They propose to organize the independent paving concerns and companies using rock asphalt into competitors of the National Asphalt Company.

Whatever may be the plans of those who are promoting an asphalt war, the men who are connected with the National Asphalt Company contend that they continue to hold a monopoly on the material. It is their opinion that when the asphalt situation in Venezuela is finally settled the National company's claims to deposits there will be fully established. With control of the Venezuela, Trinidad and other beds of asphalt, it is argued by the National officials that competition in street paving will be impossible. It is on that hope that a profitable reorganization of the defunct National and American Companies is expected to be effected.

The receivers of the National and American companies have planned to still further reduce the force of clerks, experts and contract getters in order to curtail expenses. It is said that altogether 250 men may be discharged, which would involve a saving of at least $250,000 yearly in salaries.

Use only the Citizens' ticket for voting purposes.

NUMEROUS UPRISINGS AGAINST VENEZUELA

Government Forces Are Completely Routed by Revolutionists in Two Engagements.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

WILLEMSTAD, ISLAND OF CURACAO, Feb. 16.—Bad news for the Venezuelan government has been received here from the interior of the country. There have been new and numerous uprisings in the state of Carabobo, whither the government has sent a number of soldiers.

There were two engagements yesterday near Vela de Coro, between the government forces and the revolutionists under Gen. Riera. The government forces were completely routed in these engagements and a detachment of them passed over to the side of the revolutionists.

Gen. Riera has issued a revolutionary proclamation from Sauca, dated February 14. Sauca is a village situated to the east of and not far from Vela de Coro. There are many government soldiers in the neighborhood of Vela de Coro, but these are principally composed of boys from 14 to 15 years of age.

President Castro's government at Caracas has just issued a decree ordering the expulsion from Venezuela of Mrs. Matos, wife of Gen. Matos, the leader of the present revolution against Castro.

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MINISTER AIDS THE CAMPAIGN AGAINST FLINN

The Rev. J. M. Gaston Gives Pertinent Advice to Hazelwood Voters.

MUST LISTEN TO NO BOSS

Cast Ballots for Best Man, "Pittsburgh Seems to Be in Hands of Boss, Whose Motto Seems to Be 'For Revenue Only.'"

The Rev. J. M. Gaston, pastor of the Hazelwood Presbyterian church, preached last night on "How to Vote Next Tuesday." The church was packed, as the theme of the sermon had been announced, and many residents of the Twenty-third ward were anxious to hear what the minister would say. This discourse proved very interesting to those people who take pleasure in hearing a fierce yet at the same time entirely just arraignment of the political conditions prevalent in Pittsburgh.

The Rev. J. M. Gaston.

The congregation became enthusiastic at times, and it seemed that it would almost break forth into some demonstration of approval. After the service was over the sermon and its advice to the voter were the only themes of conversation among the voters of the Twenty-third ward. Everywhere the fairness and excellent advice of the young minister were applauded. The Rev. Mr. Gaston took his text from Second Samuel tenth chapter and twelfth verse, "Be of good courage and let us play the men for our people and for the cities of our God." He said:

Citizenship Is Important.

"In the mind of the average Christian man what he is as a citizen does not hold a very important place. He probably gives the first place to what he is in himself as a man; the second to what he is in the home, as a father or husband; the third to what he is in the church, and the fourth in importance to what he is as a citizen.

"The old Grecian thinkers said that the most important thing to any man was what he was as a citizen. We are right in giving fourth place to the question: 'What is a man as a citizen?' Jesus Christ was the discoverer of the individual soul. But, while this is true, a good Christian ought to be a good citizen, and the church must not only look to the conversion of the individual soul, but must also see that the environment of that soul shall conserve to its moral and spiritual health.

Should Denounce Sin.

"It is the business of the church to condemn sin, and not only sin in the individual, but public sin. The book of God is the standard and when God says, 'Thou shalt not steal.' He means that it is not only a sin to steal from an individual, but also from the public. There is not one moral law for the individual citizen and another for the politician. **No political boss has a right to compel those dependent upon him in any way to vote in accordance with his dictation. Is not this the worst kind of theft? And what shall we say of the Esau who will sell his birthright for a mess of pottage?**

"In the Twenty-third ward only 40 per cent of the voters on an average cast any vote. Where are the other 60 per cent. And the sad part about it is that a large part of the 60 per cent of the stay-at-homes is made up of the best blood of the community, while a large part of the 40 per cent is made up of those who are compelled to vote by the machine.

"Let every man wield the God-given power at the ballot box on next Tuesday. May every man who has been saying, 'It's of no use,' be of good courage and let him play the man 'for the cities of our God.'

"Some one has said: 'The medieval sovereign hired a fellow to be his fool, but the popular sovereign often hires the fellow to be his master and is his own fool.' To how great an extent is he his own fool who absents himself from the polls or who respects party lines in municipal elections does not appear until he reckons up how much it costs to hire the fellow to be his master.

"How shall we vote? There is but one right answer. Vote for the best man, irrespective of all party affiliations. Good men will use good measures. 'It makes a vast difference,' said Daniel Webster, 'in the force of a sentence whether there is a man behind it or not.' And so it does in everything.

"True manhood should be the basis of our choice. God gives us men! A time like this demands clean minds, pure hearts, true faith and ready hands. Let the spirit of Lincoln, who, standing in the slave mart and witnessing the traffic in human lives, said, 'By the eternal gods, if ever I get a chance I will hit that thing hard,' come upon us and let us say at the polls next Tuesday, 'In the name of the eternal God we will hit the sins of our beloved city hard.'

"I do not know that I object particularly to rings, for there are rings in everything. There is a ring in the church which includes the good men and women who are willing to do the work and to use all their power to the building up of the Kingdom.

"But the trouble with Pittsburgh is that it is in the hands of a boss whose motto seems to be, 'For Revenge Only.' He puts a badge on a man and says to him, 'You must remember that I am the boss.'

"And on election day this man must go out and bring in his friends to the polls to vote the way the boss wishes.

"A policeman in this ward went into the home of a citizen with whom he was not acquainted and inquired how he was going to vote. The citizen replied that he was a private individual, with individual opinions and that it was none of the policeman's business how he was going to vote.

"The present municipal government is expensive not only in dollars and cents, but it is expensive to our physical, mental and moral health. It is expensive to our physical health because of the appointment of incompetent men to look after the sanitary conditions of the city. There is no doubt but the mortality rate in Pittsburgh is much higher than it would be if our health officials were chosen for their ability and not to reward them for political activity.

"Our mental health suffers because some men are elected to our school boards who do not know one text book from another.

"Our moral health is affected by the open dives and back doors that are permitted in this city. It is odd that a private citizen can find hundreds of such places in Pittsburgh and the policeman can find none. Such condition can only argue official complicity."

The preacher scored many other weak spots in the present city administration and advised every loyal citizen to do all in his power on next Tuesday to right these wrongs. He advised his congregation to vote for the candidates who had the best character and ability, regardless of party lines. A large number of party workers and candidates listened to the sermon.

ANOTHER MINISTER PLEADS FOR RIGHT

Dr. McClelland Tells His Congregation to Throw Off the Boss' Yoke on Tuesday.

The Rev. Dr. Henry T. McClelland, pastor of the Bellefield Presbyterian church, in his sermon yesterday told the voters of his congregation that they should cast off party ties, and cast their ballots for clean municipal government.

The text of Dr. McClelland's sermon was, "A Citizen of no Mean City," from Acts xxi:39. Dr. McClelland said: "Thus Paul, who was the leading Christian citizen of his time, and of all time identified himself when in trouble and under arrest in Jerusalem; thus he spoke with conscious civic pride, of his native city Tarsus; and by this identification he secured the favor which he sought from the captain of the guard.

"It is a question just now how much honor one of us would get if in trouble in another city by claiming citizenship in Pittsburgh. But since the air is full of municipal matters, and since one who is not a good citizen is not a good Christian, we may learn something profitable by looking at the reasons for Paul's complacency in his city, Tarsus.

"History shows us that Paul had at least three good reasons for thinking well of Tarsus. The place was the most important commercially and politically, in that part of the Roman empire. It was an influential seat of learning, reported to us as being in Paul's day superior in that regard to Athens and Alexandria. And, thirdly, Tarsus was an independent municipality. Great and flourishing, it administered its own local affairs with no interference from without.

"Now, we come to the point of municipal independence. Here there is not much to be said, but what is to be said should be said plainly.

"If we, as a municipality, are not capable of administering our own city affairs, the situation is a disgrace. If, on the other hand, there has been taken from us that which we could do for ourselves, and if that is kept from us which we are able to take back—then the condition is full of moral stench and burning shame.

"We believe in the Decalogue and in the golden rule. A city ruled in the interest of the few against the many, and ruled as such a city must ever be, fosters murder and robbery and all the train or attendant crimes. Servile acquiescence makes a particeps criminis—a party to the wrong.

"As Christians we can be proud of Pittsburgh, when the dear old Smoky City awakens to an intelligent and effective sense of her corporate privileges and rights.

"We can be proud of Pittsburgh when all her officials are a terror to evil doers.

"We can be proud of Pittsburgh when her voters can distinguish between national and local issues, and will be no longer conjured by the fetich of party names—when all votes will be intelligently cast for living and beneficent measures, and for the best available men to uncorrputedly execute the public municipal will.

"The Christian citizen whose spirit and purpose is like that of his master, Jesus Christ, and like that of the great typical Christian citizen, Paul, can be proud of Pittsburgh, when our city administration is independent, comprehensive and extensive; independent of bosses without or within; comprehensive in justice and kindness to all within our city line; extensive with regard to the increasing good of citizens and their families in the generations to come. Then shall we be 'Citizens of No Mean City.'"

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Liverpool		Boyle.
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PRINCE HENRY TOUCHES SHORE IN ENGLAND

Sunshine and Music Were Features of the First Day at Sea.

PASSENGERS INTERESTED

The Emperor's Brother Is Apparently Unmindful of the Attention He Attracts on Board the Kronprintz Wilhelm—Saw German Diplomats.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

SOUTHAMPTON, Feb. 16.—The Kronprinz Wilhelm arrived here this morning. Prince Henry's voyage to England was uneventful.

The Kronprinz Wilhelm proceeded slowly from Bremerhaven down the Weser under a cloudless sky and amidst cheers from the people lining the shore. The prince and his suite walked upon the upper deck with some of the other passengers. Later Prince Henry proceeded to the bridge, where he held a long conversation with the captain of the steamer and showed the greatest interest in all the details of the ship.

The prince, with his suite, appeared at dinner, occupying a table in an alcove of the general saloon. During the meal the band played German and American airs.

Prince Attracted Passengers.

The prince's table naturally attracted the undivided attention of the other passengers, but Prince Henry did not seem to mind this. After dinner the prince spent an hour in the smoking room.

He was up early this morning, walking the deck. In the course of a conversation today he again expressed the pleasure he feels at visiting the United States, and added:

"Why, the last man I shook hands with on German ground was an American, the Berlin representative of the Associated Press."

At about half past 10 this morning the Isle of Wight and the forts of Portsmouth were sighted.

Music and Sunshine.

It was a day of glorious sunshine. With the band playing and with flags flying the steamer made her way up Southampton waters to the dock. Here the steamship company, contrary to the desire of Prince Henry, had taken the most elaborate precautions. The special train from London, carrying passengers for the Kronprinz Wilhelm, arrived at Southampton at 11:30, but was not allowed to proceed to the dock until the steamship bearing Prince Henry had been made fast. At 1 o'clock the dock swarmed with policemen and detectives and the steamship tickets of the Southampton passengers were repeatedly scrutinized.

Received German Diplomats.

Prince Henry remained on the bridge of the steamer until the members of the German embassy at London, who came down here to welcome him, went on board. He then received them in his salon.

The Kronprinz Wilhelm sailed for Cherbourg at 2 o'clock this afternoon. Among her passengers are George and Allison Armour, Sir Charles Cust, Spencer Eddy, first secretary of the American legation at Constantinople, and Miss Catherine Eddy, his sister, and Mrs. Moreton Frewen, sister of Mrs. Cornwallis West.

CHERBOURG, Feb. 16.—The Kronprinz Wilhelm arrived in the roadstead at 8:40 this evening after a pleasant passage from Southampton. The weather was splendid and there was no wind. The steamer stayed here but a short time, during which the band played selections from various airs. The Kronprinz Wilhelm resumed her journey for New York at 9 o'clock.

Preparations in New York.

NEW YORK, Feb. [illegible]—The opening day of the week in which Prince Henry of Prussia is looked for witnessed the arrival of Capt. Benjamin Parker, who has come here for the purpose of taking the emperor of Germany's new yacht Meteor III. to the other side on her completion. Capt. Parker was accompanied by his brother and mother, William Parker and Mrs. L. Parker. Capt. Parker is considered one of the most expert yachtsmen of England. For many years he sailed the German emperor's old yacht, the Meteor, and won many races with her.

In 1899 he was engaged by Sir Thomas Lipton with Capts. Hogarth and Wringe to take charge of the Shamrock I. in her races here.

To View the Hohenzollern.

Thousands crossed the North river to Hoboken today to take a look at the imperial yacht Hohenzollern. Other thousands traveled from New Jersey towns with the same object in view, but owing to the ironclad arrangements, only a small number managed to get aboard.

The regular Sunday services prescribed by the Lutheran church took place on the Hohenzollern at 10 o'clock in the morning. They were conducted by Admiral von Baudissin, and were attended by all the members of the crew. At the close the commander of the imperial yacht prepared to carry out the cabled instruction from Emperor William to place a wreath on the tomb of Miss Beatrice Goelet, daughter of the late Robert Goelet and of Mrs. Harriett Warren Goelet, who died on February 10 of pneumonia.

Remembering the Dead.

The wreath, which was made on a bed of smilax, was composed of white roses and lilies of the valley and on the inside of the circle was row of white tulips. It was quite large and was bound with broad white silk ribbon, the streamers of which were trimmed with gold and bore the monogram of the kaiser and the imperial crest.

The wreath was delivered at the Hohenzollern at 11 o'clock and a few minutes later Admiral von Baudissin in full uniform, accompanied by his aid, Capt. von Der Osten, also in uniform, left for the Goelet home in Fifth avenue. The wreath was left at the residence and later carried to Woodlawn cemetery and placed on the tomb by two members of the Goelet family without any ceremony.

German Officers Entertained.

While the admiral was away from the Hohenzollern, Capt. Von Holleben and Lieuts. Rebansburg and Seidensticker, were entertained at the German club house in Hoboken.

The united German societies for the reception of Prince Henry met today. The plan of program and the order of march es decided on at Friday night's meeting was adopted. It was also decided to present to Prince Henry a beautiful silver album, hand-painted with the picture of the prince on the cover. The album will contain the autographs of all the committeemen and of the presidents of all the organizations composing the United German societies. This is in addition to the engrossed address enclosed in a silver casket which the societies will present to the prince.

The committee decided that the parade would take place on the evening of February 2d.

Admiral von Baudissin and several members of his staff were the guests this evening of Karl Buenz, German consul general at this port.

The admiral intends leaving for Philadelphia tomorrow morning. He will visit relatives and expects to remain in Philadelphia until Tuesday afternoon.

Vote for a business-like administration of municipal affairs.

STATE TO PURCHASE FORESTRY LAND

MORE FORESTRY LAND TO BE ACQUIRED BY STATE

TO ESTABLISH SCHOOL

Commission Wants to Teach Tree Culture on the Reservation.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

HARRISBURG, PA., Feb. 16.—The state forestry commission has already acquired 325,700 acres of land for state forestry reservations and expects to acquire 100,000 acres additional during the next 12 months. The commission expects to eventually establish a school for elementary forestry on the reservation near Graffansburg, Franklin county, on which there is situated buildings suitable for such a school. It is also proposed to establish a camp for consumptives on the borders of the forestry reservation in the Pocono mountains in Monroe county.

Forestry Commissioner Rothrock is devoting much time to the study of the climate in the Pocono mountains and he is convinced from practical experience that it is an ideal spot for consumptives. Efforts will be made by Dr. Rothrock and others interested in the movement to secure contributions from private individuals for the establishment of a camp for indigent consumptives.

Dr. Rothrock says the farmers of Pennsylvania are taking an active interest in the forestry question and predicts that it is only a question of a short time when elementary forestry will be taught in the schools in the rural districts.

The Hopkins reservation, which is named for ex-Congressman A. C. Hopkins of Lockhaven, is located in Clinton and Center counties and covers an area of 62,000 acres. It is the largest state forestry reservation in Pennsylvania, and is covered with thousands of young trees which will eventually be of a great value to the state. The next largest reservation is that in Pike county, which is composed of 23,000 acres.

The other counties in which forestry reservations are located are Wyoming, Luzerne, Franklin, Elk, Huntingdon, Lycoming, Clearfield, Cameron, Union, Center, Tioga, Dauphin, Mifflin, and Snyder. Much of this land has been secured by the commission at a comparatively small cost to the commonwealth. Dr. Rothrock believes that the state should have at least 600,000 or 700,000 acres of land for its forestry reservations. Efforts will be made to secure an appropriation by the next legislature for the establishment of a school for the teaching of elementary forestry.

Don't risk the loss of your vote. Put an X mark in the circle of the Citizens party.

FATHER AND SON KILLED.

Their Dead Bodies Carried a Mile on a Locomotive Pilot.

CHESTER, PA., Feb. 16.—A. D. Blair, aged 58, and his son, Charles H. Blair, aged 36, of Fairview, Delaware county, were killed near that place late last night by an express train on the Baltimore & Ohio railroad, the train striking the carriage in which they were driving.

The train did not stop until it reached this city, a mile from the scene of the accident, and both bodies, with fragments of the carriage, were then taken from the pilot of the engine.

If you put an X mark in the circle of the Citizens party your ballot will be counted for reform.

An X mark in the circle of the Citizens party will save your vote.

TROLLEY CAR MEN REJECT COMPROMISE

Employes of Wheeling Traction Company Prepare for Strike.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

WHEELING, W. VA., Feb. 16.—The employes of the Wheeling Traction Company, embracing the Ohio and Moundsville lines, all of which will be tied up in the strike which is a probability, held a session last night, which did not adjourn until 4 o'clock this morning. They refused to accept the order of the traction company granting old men 20 cents an hour and discriminating against new men to the extent of requiring them to start in at 17 cents and work three years before they drew full pay.

They will renew their demand of 20 cents an hour and ask the directors of the traction company to meet Wednesday to give an answer. National President Mahone of the Street Car Workers' union was wired at his home in Detroit to come to Wheeling immediately.

States Labor Commissioner I. V. Barton attended the meeting and promised to enforce the state law requiring the traction company to vestibule its winter cars. He has already taken steps to enjoin them from running open cars.

An X mark in the circle of the Citizens party will raise the blockade of the Carnegie school.

TO MAKE ENAMELED TILE.

Company Organized in Beaver Falls to Manufacture Clay Products.

BEAVER FALLS, PA., Feb. 16.—(Special.)—A company has been formed here among a number of capitalists to be known as the Beaver Clay Manufacturing Company, the purpose of which is to engage in the manufacturing of enameled tile, enameled fire and building brick and other products of clay. It is capitalized at $50,000 and the plant will be located in the Beaver valley, the exact site of which has not yet been determined.

The company will apply to the governor for a charter on March 17. The names attached to the application are James R. Cooper, Frederick N. Beegle, Louis Davidson, B. B. Todd, Harry Bonnell and Eugene S. Hoopes. The incorporators are residents of Beaver Falls, New Brighton and Beaver.

Don't lose your vote. Put an X mark in the circle of the Citizens party, where it will count.

FORETOLD HIS OWN DEATH.

An Ohio Man Provided Money for His Funeral and Was Soon Dead.

UPPER SANDUSKY, O., Feb. 16.—(Special.)—"I believe that I will die tomorrow and here is $75 to pay my funeral expenses."

This was said by Bordley Hitchcok, a prominent pioneer resident of this city, last night to his nephew, William Hitchcock, Jr. The latter thought he was joking and refused the money.

This afternoon Mr. Hitchcok died from asthma of the heart. He was perfectly well last night. He was a brother of Commissioner Hitchcock.

End Stone rule by putting an X mark in the circle of the Citizens party.

Coal Vein Disappears.

NEW MARTINSVILLE, W. VA., Feb. 16.—(Special.)—Oil well drills operating in the lower end of this county have resulted in disclosures which will upset a number of big coal deals consummated and pending. They show that near this city the supposed thick vein tapers down to a width of two or three feet, and entirely disappears near the Tyler county line.

Take no chances. Put an X mark in the circle of the Citizens party.

NEW TROLLEY LINE FOR WASHINGTON

NEW ELECTRIC LINE FOR WASHINGTON COUNTY

CONNECT CANONSBURG

Work Is Soon to Begin on Road from the County Seat.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

WASHINGTON, PA., Feb. 16.—Senator Arthur Kennedy of Allegheny, president of the Washington Electric Street Railway Company, stated here that within three weeks work would be started on the construction of a line between here and Canonsburg and that cars would be running on the new line by next fall. The building of this line is a culmination of a project Senator Kennedy and other members of the Washington Electric Railway Company have been fostering for a long time, and the consummation of the plan will mean much to Washington and the different towns in the Chartiers valley.

The right of way has been secured the whole distance. A site has been selected for a power house midway between the two towns, where every advantage in the way of fuel will be at hand. The rails have been purchased and they will be of the 70-pound variety.

Washington council has not yet granted a franchise in the borough, but it is known that members of that body are favorable to the project. The Washington Electric Street Railway company has charters for a number of proposed lines radiating from this place, and it is the intention to ultimately connect Pittsburgh with Washington.

An X mark in the circle of the Citizens party will make your ballot count against protected vice.

FOUR BIDDLE TEAMS.

Westmoreland County People Exhibiting "The Original and Only" Black Horse and Sleigh.

GREENSBURG, PA., Feb. 16.—(Special.)—That Westmoreland county people are up to date in most everything is shown by the fact that there are now on exhibition in different towns in the county four bona fide Biddle black horses with the required spots, and four black sleighs.

Each exhibitor gives assurance to the patrons who are required to pay 10 cents to gain admission, that his is the only genuine, and one offers to contribute $500 to any charitable institution the good people will name should he not be able to prove conclusively that his exhibition is the "real thing."

Horsemen say that jet black horses are in good demand.

Don't take chances on having your ballot thrown out. Put an X mark in the circle of the Citizens party.

Burns Resulted in Death.

WASHINGTON, PA., Feb. 16.—(Special.)—Mrs. Henry Dague expired at her home on East Maiden street this morning, as a result of burns sustained on Friday night by the overturning of a lamp. Mrs. Dague attempted to rescue her grandson, Charles, aged 3, and was terribly burned. The child died yesterday. The woman's husband was also burned while attempting to save his wife and is not expected to live.

Put an X mark in the circle of the Citizens party and secure reform of the city government.

ELECTRICITY IN LAYERS FOUND BY A SCIENTIST

Is Located at Various Depths Under Ground by Tennessee Investigator.

VEHICLE FOR MESSAGES

They May Be Sent Through Mountains Without Aid of Wires or Other Similar Apparatus—Possibilities of Marconi's System.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

KNOXVILLE, TENN., Feb. 16.—Prof. G. K. Woodward of this city claims to have discovered that electricity appears in stratas of the earth, and that he has found there are different kinds of this invisible force, which discoveries utilized, he believes, will successfully solve the question of how to prevent Marconigrams from being taken up promiscuously.

"The day is not far off," said Prof. Woodward to a Gazette representative, "when messages may be conveyed directly through a mountain by means of the strata of electricity which I have discovered exists in the earth."

Asked how he discovered that electricity existed in strata and how the discovery affected the Marconi system of wireless telegraphy, he said:

"In the study of electricity I determined to find the virginal or natural electricity, which terms I use in referring to the electricity which exists in space, and is not affected by coming in contact with minerals, vegetable or animal life or machine.

Prof. Woodward's Theory.

"There is what may be termed general or surface current, which may be called the ground wire. Then I have found 10 feet below the surface another strata or current, while 30 feet below the surface there is still another current or electrical condition. And 16 feet below this strata my tests revealed another strata. I put a wire in the surface of the ground and determined the resistance to a certain voltage and amperage—in other words, to an 108 voltage dynamo. Then I went in a pit 10 feet deep and drove a brass rod in the earth and made connection and found I had a different resistance to the same voltage and amperage to the first test. Then I went to the bottom of a dry well and found a different resistance still.

'Taking a piece of vulcanized iron pipe I plugged one end of it and poured into it rubber and mineral paint. After pouring it out I had an insulation inside the pipe. I drove the pipe 16 feet in the bottom of the well and with a steel rod put the plug at the bottom of the pipe and took the brass bar and put it into the ground at the bottom of the pipe, which gave a depth of about 48 feet below the surface. Here I found a different electrical condition, as shown by the same apparatus. I believe the day is not far distant when a message may be conveyed right through a mountain simply by utilizing this electrical strata.

No Apparatus Needed.

"There need be no wire or apparatus of any kind whatever. This will be done when it is recognized, as it soon will be, that this virgin electricity has a distinct quality. This will restrict the medium of Marconigrams and following the suggestion of different strta of electricity will soon further specialize it, so that attunement of greater electricity will be possible and the Marconi system thereby perfected to the highest possible degree."

Prof. Woodward is still engaged with other experiments and may in the course of a short time have other important news of his discovery, which, he says, "will revolutionize even the great Marconi's invention."

GAZETTE'S CABLE FEATURES

INSURGENTS CLEANED OUT OF ONE DISTRICT

Increase of Robber Bands in Provinces of Tayabas and Cavite.

MALVER IS IN DANGER

[ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

MANILA, Feb. 16.—Gen. J. Franklin Bell has practically cleaned up the insurrection in Batangas province, the troops under his command having made a clean sweep of the district. It is not believed that all the insurgent arms have been captured or surrendered, but that a number of them have been taken by the insurgents to other provinces or safely hidden. The increase of robber bands in the provinces of Tayabas and Cavite show the effects of the drastic measures adopted in Batangas and Laguna provinces. Gen. Bell says the people of these latter provinces never realized the terrors of war until they personally experienced its hardships, owing to the closing of the ports and the concentration of the natives in the towns.

Gen. Bell believes that the insurgent leader Malver is becoming exceedingly unpopular with the Filipinos and that when the natives cease to fear his vengeance many will be found willing to betray him.

What has been said of Batangas province applies almost equally to Laguna.

The United States transport Wright, which sank in 15 feet of water November 28 last by striking an uncharted rock at the entrance of San Jacinto harbor and which was successfully raised this month, has arrived at Cavite in tow of the gunboat Wompatuck. The Wright has six holes in her bottom, which have been temporarily patched. She will be drydocked immediately.

Don't take chances on having your ballot thrown out. Put an X mark in the circle of the Citizens party.

ONE HINDOO TWIN IS DEAD.

Died of Consumption from Which It Suffered Before the Operation.

PARIS, Feb. 16.—The Hindoo twin named Dordica, who was separated from Radica by an operation February 9, died suddenly this morning at 7 o'clock in convulsions, due to the advanced stage of the tuberculosis from which she suffered.

The twins appeared to improve during last week and passed their time playing happily with tops. The death of Dordica has been concealed from Radica, who is making excellent progress.

Put an X mark in the circle of the Citizens party and have your ballot counted for the people.

CASTORIA.
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CANNIBALS ATTACK A FRENCH MISSION

The Treacherous Natives Fall Upon the Party While Asleep.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

PARIS, Feb. 16.—La Patrie today publishes a letter received from its correspondent, M. Rouyer, a survivor of the massacre of a French scientific mission by cannibals at Sileraka, New Guinea, January 4. M. Rouyer relates that the yacht Salvatti with the mission on board, had anchored off the coast of New Guinea and that several of the explorers landed. After an apparently friendly reception from the natives the latter treacherously attacked them during the night, murdering 25 of the party, including Baron Vilars, Count de Saint Remy and MM. Hagenbock and Vries, and wounding 33, including the writer of the letter, M. Rouyer, chief of the mission, and another Frenchman named Reimer. M. Rouyer writes:

"We were all sleeping peacefully when there was a great uproar and we were attacked by hundreds of natives carrying torches. Several of us were felled to the ground with clubs, hatchets and spears. Others were overpowered, carried away and bound to trees. I was among this number. I received a blow on the head from a club and fainted. When I recovered consciousness at 5 o'clock in the morning, I found myself tied hand and foot and surrounded by savages who, believing me to be dead, were keeping me for themselves. I saw the body of Baron Villars near me, bound to a tree. Count de Saint Remy had been decapitated and his head stuck on the end of a spear as a trophy. M. Hagenbock was spitted on a bamboo and was being roasted over a fire. The savages were about to cut him up.

"I waited my fate. All around me the ground was strewn with corpses. Suddenly a great clamor arose, followed by a fusillade. I opened my eyes and saw Dr. Foriter and the remainder of the mission from the yacht firing on the cannibals. I shouted and the rescuers ran to me and cut the bonds which bound me to the tree. The cannibals fled, leaving 32 dead. The clothes of M. Viris were found, but his body was missing. He had evidently been devoured by the savages during the night."

An X mark in the circle of the Citizens party will count against Stone's conversion of charter reform into a bargain counter sale.

Tolstoy May Recover.

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 16.—Count Tolstoy's temperature is at 100 while his pulse is 84. He is very weak but is bearing up well. It is still hoped that he may recover.

Put an X mark in the circle of the Citizens party and retire the grafters.

BRITONS LURED TO AMBUSH BY ONE BOER

Two Officers and Ten Men Killed and Many Others Were Wounded.

FISCHER STAYS BEHIND

[ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

PRETORIA, Feb. 16.—One hundred and fifty mounted infantrymen, while patrolling the Klip river, south of Johannesburg, February 12, surrounded a farm house where they suspected Boers were in hiding. A single Boer broke away from the house and the British started to pursue him.

The Boer climbed a kopje, the British following. Immediately a heavy fire was opened upon them from three sides. The British found themselves in a trap and in a position where they were unable to make any defense. Eight of the British officers made a gallant effort and defended the ridge with carbines and revolvers until they were overpowered. The British had two officers and 10 men killed and several officers and 40 men wounded before the force was able to fall back under cover of a blockhouse.

PARIS, Feb. 16.—The Temps, in an authorized note, says that only Messrs. Wessels and Wolmarans of the Boer delegation in Europe have sailed for the United States, and that Mr. Fischer remains in Brussels. The note says that the journey of Wessels and Wolmarans has no diplomatic object, that it simply appeared necessary that they enter into direct relations with the pro-Boer committee in the United States.

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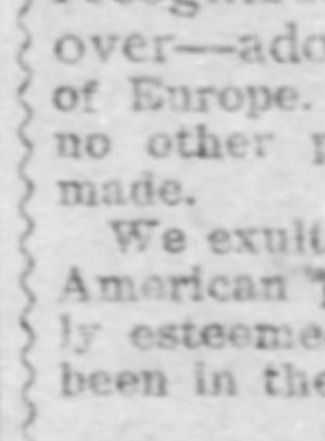

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Superintendent.

Victor, Colo., Feb. 11, 1902.

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I have three men sinking the winze and an engineer. I took samples of the ore this morning and will have them assayed today and enclose results. We will have out a nice little shipment by the 1st; and I think by that time or earlier we will be shipping from the 280-foot drift. I will only sink a winze about 8 feet long on the ore, for we can mine the ore as soon as we cut it from our 280-foot drift for about one-fifth the expense. I did not assay the rich streak.

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O. C. HANSBROUGH, Supt.

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FUGITIVE IS AT LARGE BY GRACE OF GOV. STONE

Extradition Papers for George W. Clarke Are Delayed and Massachusetts Officials Blame the Pennsylvania Executive.

MACHINE POLITICS IS HELD TO BE RESPONSIBLE

Local machine politics is held to be responsible for the delay of Gov. Stone in honoring the requisition of Gov. Murray Crane of Massachusetts for the extradition of George W. Clarke of Pittsburgh for trial on charges of larceny. Two officers from Lynn, Mass., have been in Pittsburgh for a month, waiting for the long-promised papers from Gov. Stone.

The Massachusetts authorities are greatly indignant at the slight put upon Gov. Crane by the executive of Pennsylvania, and Gov. Stone is accused of having been influenced by machine politicians of Pittsburgh, who are said to have interested themselves in Clarke's case.

A large sum of money is said to have been raised by Clarke's wealthy relatives to keep him in this state and save him from suffering the penalties for his alleged criminal acts.

Officers Still Here.

Charles H. Colby and John T. Fitzgerald, the Lynn officers who are waiting in Pittsburgh for a requisition from Gov. Stone to take Clarke back for trial, have received word from Harrisburg that Clarke's father, Russell A. Clarke, a well-known local insurance agent, has settled the claims of the merchants in Lynn who are alleged to have been defrauded by his son by means of worthless checks, and also that the father has offered to settle with the Massachusetts authorities by paying the expenses of the two officers sent to Pittsburgh and all the cost of the case.

This information was conveyed to Officers Colby and Fitzgerald by Albert Miller, district attorney of Dauphin county, who has been retained by the Massachusetts authorities to represent them at Harrisburg in the petition for a requisition.

Insist on Requisition.

A dispatch from Harrisburg last night stated that District Attorney Miller had written to W. Scott Peters, district attorney at Salem, the county seat of the county in which Lynn is located, informing the Salem district attorney that Clarke's attorneys had made an effort to settle the case by payment of the officers' costs and the expense and costs of indictment. "Notwithstanding their efforts," said Mr. Miller, "the Massachusetts authorities have insisted upon the requisition being honored. When I advised Gov. Stone of their decision he fixed next Wednesday for a hearing of both sides."

Charles H. Colby, who is an inspector of the Lynn police, and his fellow officer, John T. Fitzgerald, are at the Seventh Avenue hotel, this city. Mr. Colby said yesterday that he stopped at Harrisburg en route to Pittsburgh to present the requisition papers from Gov. Crane to Gov. Stone.

Governor at First Approved.

"The papers were immediately examined and the governor declared at once that they were in proper shape," said Mr. Colby. "We received positive assurances that the requisition would be honored and came on to Pittsburgh. This was four weeks ago.

"A few days after we arrived in Pittsburgh we got word from the private secretary of Gov. Stone stating that the governor had decided to grant Clarke a hearing the following week. We waited a week and received another communication stating that the hearing had been postponed for a week.

"The hearing did not take place on the second date fixed, and when we wired to know the reason we were informed that this time the governor was attending court in Clearfield and the hearing had been again postponed until he should return. We were assured that the matter would be taken up and the requisition granted not later than Monday of last week.

Got No Reply to Message.

"We waited until Monday. Not hearing anything then we waited two days more and last Wednesday we wired to the secretary of the commonwealth asking him to inform us what would be done. We have not received any reply to this message, although four days have elapsed since it was sent.

"We received a telegram from District Attorney Peters yesterday to remain here," said Mr. Colby, "and we will do so."

The officers are much displeased with the treatment which they have received from the state executive of Pennsylvania. They consider that not only they but Gov. Crane has been treated with the utmost discourtesy by the Pennsylvania authorities. Inspector Colby stated that he has a telegram which he received from Superintendent Philip Demmel before he left Lynn for Pittsburgh, stating that Clarke had been arrested and was in custody here.

Pittsburgh Police Must Produce Clarke.

Inspector Colby says that the possession of this telegram may be valuable if there should be any trouble in getting Clarke in case Gov. Stone honors the requisition for his extradition.

Clarke was arrested January 18 by Detective William Elmore and committed to jail by Magistrate McKenna as a fugitive from justice. He was released from jail on January 25 upon an order from Magistrate McKenna. Inspector Colby says that he was told by Superintendent Demmel that Thomas R. Kelly had furnished $500 bail for Clarke.

"I do not think we will have any trouble in getting our man if we get the requisition," said Inspector Colby, "for it will be up to the Pittsburgh police to produce him, as they released him. We are not watching Clarke and will not make any effort to find him. If we get the requisition we will look to the police here to find him and turn him over to us."

Illness an Alleged Trick.

Clarke was reported to have been ill after his release from jail and this was offered as an excuse by Gov. Stone for holding up the requisition and delaying the hearing. Inspector Colby claims that he learned from Dr. H. B. Burns of the East End that Clarke was not as sick as represented, and Colby says the real purpose of the postponements of the hearings was to permit Clarke's father to make a trip to Massachusetts to settle with his son's alleged victims and thus furnish Gov. Stone with an excuse for refusing the requisition.

A Harrisburg dispatch says: "Gov. Stone's position in the case of George W. Clarke, who is under indictment at Salem, Mass., for having given worthless checks to Lynn merchants, is untenable and shows an utter disregard of law and the courtesy due the governor of one state by the executive of another state.

Is in Proper Form.

"Gov. Crane's requisition on Stone for the extradition of Clarke is in proper form, and is backed by the declaration of W. Scott Peters, district attorney at Salem, that the acts relied upon to sustain the indictment constitute in Massachusetts the crime alleged against Clarke. Mr. Peters claims that the evidence, relied upon by the commonwealth, is absolutely conclusive and unanswerable, and that this case is genuine and one where the accused ought to be turned over to the Massachusetts authorities. He also says that all the authorities ask is to have Stone treat them as the authorities of that state ought to treat those of Pennsylvania.

"When requisition is made by the governor of one state by the executive of another state for the extradition of a person charged with a crime in the state from which the requisition emanates, it is immediately granted if the papers are in proper form and no protest is made against it.

Is Great Discourtesy.

"In case of a protest the governor hears both sides, and if it is shown that a prima facia case can be made out against the accused the requisition is honored. To refuse to honor the requisition would be the height of discourtesy, an offense of which no previous governor of this state has ever been accused. After holding up Clarke's case for a month Stone has fixed next Wednesday morning for a hearing, and notified his attorneys to appear. District Attorney Miliar of this city has been retained by the Massachusetts authorities to represent them.

"If Stone were disposed to honor the requisition he would have done so long ago. The only excuse that can be given for holding it up is the certificate of Clarke's physician that he was ill. Clarke is said to have strong political influence, and it is suspected that this is being used on Stone to protect him."

Haymaker Condemns Stone.

District Attorney John C. Haymaker does not approve Gov. Stone's action in withholding a requisition for Clarke. He said yesterday: "I do not see why the Massachusett officers should wait here a month to get a requisition. They ought to have gotten it the first week."

In response to a telegram, Chief of Police T. M. Burckes of Lynn, Mass., last night wired The Gazette as follows:

LYNN, MASS., Feb. 16.—There is no doubt about the criminal part, see no reason why he should not be extradited. District attorney wired District Attorney Miliar at Harrisburg full particulars.

THOMAS M. BURCKES,
Chief of Police.

COURT FIXES OWNERSHIP OF HIDDEN MONEY CHEST

Brother and Sister Quarreled Over $1,545 Buried in Their Father's Cellar.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

PHILADELPHIA, PA., Feb. 16.—The ownership of a chest of gold hidden in a cellar which was disputed by a woman and her brother was decided by Judge Penrose yesterday after a contest in the orphans' court. The principals in the suit were Mrs. Margaret Kallam and Dennis Coughlin. Mrs. Kallam accused Coughlin of unlawfully claiming $1,545 in gold found in a chest at 1240 North Twenty-sixth street, the home of their deceased father.

It developed that the senior Coughlin, who died at the age of 87, had no confidence in the safety of banks and was in the habit of keeping all his money in his home. A number of years before his death a considerable sum was stolen from the chest, only part of which was recovered. Coughlin was unwilling even after this experience to trust banks and kept a large amount of money on his person.

When the estate was called for audit Mrs. Kallam asked that her brother, as executor of their father's estate, be surcharged with $1,545, which she testified had belonged to their father, but which her brother claimed as his own. She said she had seen her father hide that amount of gold in the cellar and that at different times before he died she had brought the chest upstairs and counted it. She testified that subsequently she dug up the money and handed it to her brother.

Coughlin's testimony was in direct contradiction to that of his sister. He declared that the money in question was his own and had been buried by him. He said that when he visited the spot he found the horde was missing. His sister denied knowledge of it, but returned in a few minutes saying he had searched in the wrong place.

Judge Penrose decided that the money was the property of the son, questioning the consistency of Mrs. Kallam's story.

An X mark in the circle of the Citizens party will raise the blockade of the Carnegie school.

INNOCENT MAN IN JAIL.

Bayonne, N. J., Citizens Will Endeavor to Secure Release of Soldier Unjustly Sentenced.

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—Mayor Egbert Seymour of Bayonne, N. J., was today elected president of the Edward M. Brodie Relief association. Over 100 prominent residents of Bayonne were present at a meeting and a committee was appointed to consult Congressman McDermott of New Jersey as to the best means of obtaining the release of Brodie, who is confined for life in the penitentiary at Fort Leavenworth, Kas.

Brodie, after serving through the war with Spain, enlisted in Troop C, Third United States cavalry, for service in the Philippines. He was mentioned for meritorious conduct in both Cuba and the Philippines. One night he and a man named Coffey, who is also serving a life sentence at Fort Leavenworth, were just outside the camp near Manila when a Filipino girl was shot and killed. They were accused of the crime and convicted. Brodie claims that his trial was unfair; that his witnesses were not heard and that he had nothing to do with the killing.

Don't lose your vote. Put an X mark in the circle of the Citizens party, where it will count.

THIRTEEN MEN CONVICTED.

Receive Heavy Sentences of Imprisonment for Murder, of Which All Were Found Guilty.

BRISTOL, Tenn., Feb. 16.—Thirteen young men have been convicted for the murder of Jack Osborne in Russell county, Va., last Christmas and sentenced to imprisonment.

King, John, Wilson and Thomas Rhea, all brothers, were sentenced to 18 years each; Charles and Ban Ball, brothers, 18 years each; Walter and Joseph Hess, brothers, 16 years each; James, Green and Thomas Ball, brothers, five years each; James Puckett, 5 years; John Henry Hess, a brother of Walter and Joseph Hess, one year.

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Anonymous Circular Issued Attacking 20th Ward Citizens' Candidate.

BECAME PUBLIC TOO SOON

Before It Was Mailed, Copy Was Secured and Statements Are Denied. Great Fight Put Up by Citizens' Nominees Receives Just Praise.

The machine has issued an anonymous circular personally attacking the Citizens party candidates for council in the Twentieth ward. The letter is signed "Taxpayer." It was prepared for mailing yesterday and will be delivered to the people of the ward this morning. A copy was secured by the Citizens party committee last night and Ward Chairman J. W. Clark made this reply:

You are residents and electors of the greatest and most independent ward in Pittsburgh. Such as ring domination over our ward has been possible only because of our neglect.

The mass of literature being sent out today from ring headquarters over the signature of "Taxpayer" to the voters of our ward is but a palpable and abortive attempt to deceive. Their plan for candidates for school directors must fail when it is known that both the old directors, H. Lee Mason and W. T. Easton, two of their nominees, were offered the nomination on the Citizens' ticket, but declined.

Assertion Is Untrue.

The claim that the money for our ward was "supplied by the Bigelows and Olivers" is untrue. Every dollar of the funds contributed for our campaign was the free and voluntary gift of the good people of our ward.

The ring plea as to Republicanism is equally weak, deceitful and absurd. For such a band of political pirates, freebooters and looters to parade in this ward in the name and under the banner of the Republican party, is like stealing the livery of heaven in which to serve the devil. Let no honest man, whatever his party, be deceived by such an appeal to party feeling and prejudice in this campaign, which involves absolutely nothing touching any great or national issue of his party. It is solely and only a local issue involving the purity, honor and welfare of our city and the protection of our homes.

Candidates' Great Fight.

Your candidates nominated upon the Citizens ticket at Friendship school, December 12 last, as well as your ward and district organizations, have given almost their whole time, day and night, fighting for your cause. It has been a labor of devotion to the highest duties of citizenship. The great crowds that have attended the meeting of the Citizens held throughout the city are unparalleled in the history of our municipal campaigns, unequaled even in the state and national campaigns. The result now rests with you. Above all times in the past it is your duty to go to the polls tomorrow, Tuesday, and vote our straight ticket.

Make it your duty to go the first thing in the morning. I make this earnest personal appeal to every friend and voter to hold up the honor of our ward in contributing its full quota to the great majority which we have struggled to roll up in the Twentieth ward.

AN ELECTRIC LINE FROM CAMDEN TO JERSEY CITY

Rumor Gains Credence That the First Step for Through Trolley Service Has Been Taken.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

PHILADELPHIA, PA., Feb. 16.—Men interested in the development of transportation facilities between Philadelphia and New York believe that an electric railway will run between Camden and Jersey City in the near future.

This opinion has as its basis the fact that work was started last week on an electric road between Trenton and New Brunswick, N. J. That capitalists would have considered building the line merely to obtain the business between those cities is considered doubtful, particularly in view of the announcement that passenger coaches about 65 feet in length and weighing upwards of 100,000 pounds each will be used, and that it is proposed to run the cars at a high rate of speed.

After the new line is built it will require only the amalgamation of the lines and the laying of short connecting lines in places in order to make a through line from this city to the metropolis.

By connecting at New Brunswick with the tracks of the North Jersey Street Railway Company an entrance to Jersey City would be obtained, while from Trenton an entrance into Camden could be obtained by connecting several roads now in existence.

J. B. Hutchinson, general manager of the Pennsylvania railroad, when asked for his opinion as to the likelihood of New York and this city being connected by electric railway said: "I think it quite probable that such a thing will be done. The building of this new line may be the first step, but I don't believe such a line will affect the steam railroads."

ANDREWS BEHIND THE BARS.

Former Police Commissioner of Detroit Still Unable to Secure Bondsmen.

DETROIT, Feb. 16.—Frank C. Andrews, who was arrested for the second time yesterday on a warrant charging him with misappropriating the funds of the City Savings bank, which is now in the hands of the state bank examiner, spent the entire day in a cell in the county jail. No one was allowed to see him but his attorneys, although several of his friends called.

The announcement that the one-time reputed millionaire and former political boss was actually behind the bars brought many curious ones to the vicinity of the jail. They did not get a glimpse of the prisoner, and they were obliged to be satisfied with a look at the gray walls of the building. At present there is no indication that bail will be secured.

Don't take chances on having your ballot thrown out. Put an X mark in the circle of the Citizens party.

NEW CHURCH DEDICATED.

Riverdale Presbyterian Edifice in Shousetown Formally Opened Yesterday.

The services attending the dedication of the new Riverside Presbyterian church at Shousetown yesterday drew a large crowd. The services were very interesting and impressive and many visiting ministers were present. The dedication took place in the morning, the dedicatory sermon being preached by the Rev. Dr. Isaac C. Ketler, president of Grove City college.

The pastor of the new church is the Rev. George P. Atwell. The church was built at a cost of $10,000, and is the finest house of worship in that vicinity. It is built of brick and stone and takes the place of the former building, which was burned several years ago. In the afternoon a fraternal meeting was held, which was also attended by a large crowd.

THREW A LIGHTED LAMP.

Michael Barry Badly Burned by His Brother's Act.

John Barry of No. 11 Crawford street went home last night intoxicated, and when his brother Michael rebuked him, John threw a lighted lamp at his brother. The lamp exploded and in an instant Michael's clothing was in flames.

Michael was badly burned about the face, body and hands, and was taken to the Mercy hospital in No. 2 patrol wagon. John was arrested and is held to await the results of his brother's injuries. John is a printer and the police say he has served numerous terms in the work house. They say he is a "white liver," or a drinker of alcohol.

Don't take chances on having your ballot thrown out. Put an X mark in the circle of the Citizens party.

TRIESTE IS UNDER LAW OF THE ARMY

RIOTS HAVE CAUSED GRAVE SITUATION IN AUSTRIA.

Soldiers Are Censured for Shooting Down Strikers—Mob Dragged the Bleeding Corpses of Their Comrades Before the Militiamen.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

TRIESTE, AUSTRIA, Feb. 16.—As a result of the strikes, martial law has been proclaimed here. Altogether 100 arrests have been made. In some of the trades it is expected work will be resumed tomorrow. A cold, blustering wind was blowing and it was snowing hard the night of the encounter between the strikers and troops.

VIENNA, Feb. 16.—The riots at Trieste are the gravest which have happened in Austria in many years. The original strike is supposed to be an outcome of socialist or anarchist agitation.

During Friday's riots 12 persons were killed and 25 wounded, while on Saturday four persons met death, including the police commissioner, who was killed by a revolver shot. Some of the reports of the occurrences say that over 100 persons were wounded. There is little doubt that the troops were over hasty.

Soldiers Were Excited.

Dr. Van Koerber, the imperial premier, explained to the Reichsrath Saturday that the officer commanding the troops was struck by a stone and fell unconscious, and that the officer next in rank ordered his men to fire and that the latter were so excited they fired recklessly, with the result that a girl, sitting in a second-story window, and a postal clerk, sitting in his office, were both shot dead.

The Reichsrath unanimously voted a practical censure on the government for permitting the troops to fire on the mob. The municipal council of Trieste has adopted a similar resolution and has decided to provide for the families of the victims of the encounters at public cost. It is not unlikely that the municipal council of Trieste will be dissolved for defiance of the government. All officials' accounts describe the riots as a "revolutionary outbreak."

Suspended Civil Law.

A cabinet council, hurriedly called Saturday night, obtained the sanction of Emperor Francis Joseph to suspend civil law at Trieste and at many villages in the vicinity, while two battalions of troops were drafted into Trieste. What, however, had a greater effect in quieting the city was the announcement Saturday of the arbitration tribunal in favor of the strikers. Not until an official, standing on the balcony of the town hall, had read the decision aloud and groups of strikers had paraded the streets with white flags to spread the decision, was quiet restored.

It is said that on Friday after the troops had fired on the rioters the mob, composed mostly of Italians, became infuriated and dragged the bleeding corpses of their comrades before the soldiers, whom they assailed with terrible imprecations as murderers and assassins.

The proclamation of martial law provides for summary trial before a special court, empowered to carry out a sentence of death within 24 hours.

JEALOUS HUSBAND KILLS HIS WIFE AND HIMSELF

Harold M. Cole, Prominent Helena Mining Man, Commits a Double Crime.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

HELENA, MONT., Feb. 16.—Harold M. Cole, assistant superintendent at the East Helena smelter, is dead in an undertaker's establishment, and Olive Mayne Cole, his wife, is at her home mortally wounded, the result of shots fired by the husband. The tragedy occurred this evening at the residence of the couple. There were no witnesses to the tragedy, and the wife is so seriously injured that she is not able to make any statement. The only story of the affair is given by Mrs. Mayne, the mother of Mrs. Cole. Mr. Cole came in from East Helena about 7 o'clock. Shortly after his arrival Mrs. Mayne went out and returned in a little while. As she went up the steps she heard a shot, quickly followed by another. She was accompanied by her husband and on entering the house saw Cole falling to the floor, while his wife was lying on the lounge with the blood streaming from two wounds, one in the head and the other in the left breast. Lying at the foot of the woman was a number of letters.

An examination showed that Cole was mortally wounded and he died before a physician could be summoned. He had shot himself through the head.

Mrs. Cole is a young and handsome woman. The theory is that the husband found some correspondence belonging to his wife, that there was a quarrel, and then the tragedy.

Harold M. Cole was one of the prominent young mining men of the state. In addition to being assistant superintendent at the East Helena smelter, he was chief chemist at the works. He has been with the smelting company since 1893, coming to Montana from New York. He was a graduate of the mining course in Columbia college, graduating with honors when 18 years old. When he first came to Montana he was employed by the Helena & Livingston Smelting & Reduction Company at Wickes, as chief assayer. Leaving that company he went with the East Helena concern. Cole was 34 years old and leaves relatives in Jersey City. He had no children.

STORY IS DENIED.

Faculty of University of the South Finds It Necessary to Explain an Anonymous Joke.

NASHVILLE, TENN., Feb. 16.—The story recently sent over the country to the effect that Chancellor Wiggins and some other members of the faculty of the University of the South had left Sewanee because of anonymous notes from supposed mountaineers warning them to leave on pain of death, has drawn from the university authorities a statement in which they say the publication has done much injustice to the university and given an unfair and erroneous estimate of the character of the people surrounding it. The statement says in part:

"The single anonymous letter picked up on the street alarmed no one. The newspaper in which the sensational article first appeared, in response to a request by the university, has given the source of its information and it appears that it came from parties who do not live in Sewanee and who were simply perpetrating a hoax or joke, not expecting any publication to result."

Put an X mark in the circle of the Citizens party and have your ballot counted for the people.

To Erect Monument to Miners.

WILKESBARRE, PA., Feb. 16.—Representatives of the Polish-Lithuanian societies of Luzerne county, in convention here today, took steps looking to the erection of a monument to the memory of the striking miners who were killed by a sheriff's posse at Lattimer in September, 1897. The monument will be built on or near the spot where the men fell.

Pastor Installed at Rochester.

ROCHESTER, PA., Feb. 16.—(Special.)—The Rev. G. A. Fechner was formally installed as pastor of St. Paul's German Lutheran church of this place today. He takes the place of the Rev. F. C. Lencke, who resigned several months ago on account of ill health.

Girl Burned to Death.

WHEELING, W. VA., Feb. 16.—(Special.)—Minnie Fox, a Bellaire girl aged 18 years, was standing in front of a fire in Ella Miller's house last night, when her clothing ignited and she was burned to death.

An X mark in the circle of the Citizens party will save your vote.

HANNA OPPOSED TO REPEAL OF ALL WAR TAXES

Says That a Part of Them Must Remain to Prevent a Deficit.

BEER TAX OUGHT TO STAY

The Ohio Senator Claims That the Country Might Better Look to the Building Up of a Merchant Marine Than Return Money to Breweries.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—"Business principles ought to govern the actions of congress, just as they must be applied by a corporation or a merchant desiring to be successful." This was the text of an interview which Senator Hanna gave tonight concerning the fiscal policy which congress must carve out for itself in order to make both ends meet. "In the consideration of revenue measures," said the senator, "congress should make it a point to have a surplus at the end of the year instead of a deficit.

"On this question of reducing or removing the remaining war taxes congress should bear this fact in mind at all times.

Opposed to Repeal of All Taxes.

"I have not given the subject as thorough consideration as I shall when it comes before the senate for action, but it is my judgment, at this time, that it would not be wise to repeal all the remaining taxes imposed during the Spanish war.

"We should bear in mind that certain expenditures resulting from the war are still going on, and we should have that fact always before us when considering the wiping out of all taxes by one legislative enactment. To my mind it would be going too far to reduce the revenues of the government $77,000,000, such as is proposed in the house bill, so long as we have to meet additional financial burdens consequent upon the war with Spain.

Ought to Be Conservative.

"The secretary of the treasury in his last report recommended to congress that it would be safe to reduce the revenues $50,000,000, and, at this time, I think his conservative judgment should be followed.

"We should also bear in mind that the country is enjoying unexampled prosperity and should consider, always, the possibility that the increased income which the government derives on this account may diminish at some time. If this should come about unexpectedly after congress had repealed the remaining war taxes and after making appropriations for the Isthmian canal and other great projects now pending, we would find a deficit in the treasury.

From a Business Standpoint.

"Then what would be the result? Revenues would have to be raised, either by the issuing of bonds or by revising the tariff, or by the imposition of some of the very taxes which it is now proposed to remove. That is the view from a business standpoint. From a political viewpoint it would be exceedingly harmful to the Republican party, which is now in power.

"I do not care to particularize as to which of the war taxes ought to be removed. But would it be wise, for example, to repeal what remains of the beer tax to the neglect of the project of building up the American merchant marine? A few million dollars could be expended much more advantageously in encouraging American shipping than in giving it back to the brewery interests of the country."

C. M. B. A. HELD MEETING.

Local Councils Are Preparing to Spend $5,000 in Entertaining Supreme Delegates.

The monthly meeting of the advisory council of the Catholic Mutual Benefit association, held in Elks' hall, was largely attended. After April 1, the council decided, the meetings will be held in the halls of the various branches instead of in one central hall. The ways and means committee was instructed to prepare for the convention of the supreme council, to be held here in September, 1903. The council will spend $5,000 in caring for the visitors. The following committees were announced to serve during the current year:

Ways and means—F. J. Brady, chairman, Branch 34; H. F. McAteer, Branch 123; James S. Berry, Branch 38; George M. Leppig, Branch 57; John A. Hare, Branch 33; A. L. McLaughlin, Branch 72; J. P. Schmith, Branch 88; D. Skehan, Branch 51; J. M. Morrison, Branch 65; W. A. Willes, Branch 73.

Organization—Thomas M. Hughes, chairman, Branch 34; R. A. Ennis, Branch 36; Thomas Petty, Branch 26; John Nagle, Branch 158; W. H. Laningan, Branch 43; A. Green, Branch 45; C. L. Magee, Jr., Branch 46; Leo G. Altmyer, Branch 54; George B. Welsh, Branch 41; J. P. Kunkle, Branch 88; James McKay, Branch 160; Dan Brown, Branch 64.

Labor—T. J. Swain, chairman, Branch 105; James Snyder, Branch 78; P. J. Dorsch, Branch 158.

Press—J. M. Sullivan, grand secretary; J. L. Brown, Branch 68; M. J. Clark, grand trustee; Peter Myer, Branch 49.

Finance—E. B. Lutz, chairman, Branch 178; J. J. Cooney, Branch 50; A. M. Letzkus, Branch 63.

Constitutional amendment—M. J. McMahon, chairman, grand representative; Humphrey Lynch, Branch 67; Michael Hogan, Branch 47.

A. J. Boucek of branch 79 and B. J. Devlin, president of the council, were made delegates to the federation.

Take no chances. Put an X mark in the circle of the Citizens party.

HUMMEL IS NOMINATED.

Named for Congress in Hotly Contested Campaign in Snyder County, Pa.

MIDDLEBURG, PA., Feb. 16.—The returns from yesterday's Republican primary election have been received from every district in Snyder county. The hottest kind of a campaign was waged for the nomination for congress between ex-Senator Edward M. Hummel of Selins Grove and Albert M. Smith of Adamsburg, present member of the legislature. The returns show that Hummel carried the county by about 236 majority.

Other successful candidates were: For sheriff, Charles E. Sampsell; assembly, C. Bonerson; county commissioners, Jonathan Richenbach and Harrison Moyer; treasurer, D. N. App; auditors, Charles Ingram and Charles Arbogast; coroner, Dr. A. J. Herman; delegate to state convention, F. F. Tool.

If you put an X mark in the circle of the Citizens party your ballot will be counted for reform.

Purse Given to a Priest.

BEAVER FALLS, PA., Feb. 16.—(Special.)—The Rev. Father Edward T. Griffin of St. Joseph's Roman Catholic church at New Brighton, was this afternoon presented with a purse containing $750 by his congregation. The presentation was made by Attorney J. Frank Covest. A large crowd was present. Many were present from other church denominations and a hearty God-speed was given Father Griffin, who is soon to make a European tour. He has been in bad health for some time and has received permission to take a vacation.

Champagne Imports in 1901.

Of a total of 319,243 cases imported by over 80 brands, G. H. MUMM'S EXTRA DRY aggregated 121,359 cases, nearly 60,000 cases more than any other brand. Particular attention is called to the quality of this wine: it is very dry and resembles the famous 1889 vintage, being more delicate and bready than the 1884. Immense reserves guarantee the maintenance of quality.

SHIP'S CREW HAVE MANY ADVENTURES

THEIR VESSEL WRECKED ON ONE OF THE SOCIETY ISLANDS.

Stood by Her for a Month Looking for Assistance Which Did Not Come—Captain Leaves Shipmates, But They Are Reunited in Miraculous Manner.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 16.—The crew and master, Frederick J. Toole, of the British bark Savernoke, which was wrecked in the Society islands last November, arrived here today from Tahiti on the steamer Zealandia, after an unusual experience. The Savernoke was bound from this port to the channel for orders. She went ashore November 14 on the isle of Clement Tonnere, of the Pomotu group of the Society islands. Captain Toole and the crew, 18 in number, remained by the wreck a month in the hope of sighting some passing vessels. December 15 Captain Toole and two of the crew started in a small boat for Manga Reva, 300 miles away, for assistance. There was no help at Manga Reva and Captain Toole determined to start for Papete, 1,200 miles away, but the French commandant refused to let him go to sea in the small boat. On January 10 a trading schooner put in at Manga Reva and offered to take the crew of the Savernoke to Papete for 1,200 French dollars. While they were negotiating over the terms, the gunboat Zeele came into the harbor with the crew of the Savernoke.

After Captain Toole left the wreck it appears that the crew waited for his return until January 2, on which date the mate and three of the crew left the island for Papete. They were picked up by the schooner Maurice 200 miles from Papete and were taken to their destination where the Zeele was found. The Zeele returned for the crew and went to Mangreve for Captain Toole. The reunited crew were taken to Papete, arriving there January 21.

FREIGHT TRAINS MET IN HEAD-ON COLLSION

Two Men Were Killed and Forty Cars Demolished in a Disastrous Wreck.

A disastrous head-on collision occurred on Saturday evening between two freight trains at Round Bottom station, 18 miles from Pittsburgh, on the Pittsburgh, McKeesport & Youghiogheny branch of the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie railroad, in which two men were killed and 40 freight cars demolished. The killed are Thomas Lyon, engineer, and Frank Besote, fireman.

The cause of the accident has not yet been explained. The two heavily loaded freight trains, one going north and the other south at a high rate of speed, crashed into each other before the collision could be prevented and a frightful wreck was the result.

The freight cars were thrown in every direction, and those of the train crews who escaped immediately set about rescuing the dead and injured. Thomas Lyon, the dead engineer, and Frank Besote, the fireman, who were killed, lived in McKees Rocks, but Besote was a native of Buffalo, N. Y.

It is said that the freights were to pass at Round Bottom, but one engineer disregarded orders. Traffic was blocked for hours.

Thomas W. Lyon was a prominent young resident of McKees Rocks. He lived with his brother-in-law, James H. Messick at West Park. He was 23 years old, had worked on the railroad three years, and was promoted from fireman to engineer only three months ago. He was a son of Maj. Robert W. Lyon, a former mayor of Pittsburgh, holding office from 1881 to 1884. Maj. Lyon is now manager of the Hussey rolling mill at New Kensington. Young Lyon is survived by his father, three brothers and five sisters. His brothers knew nothing of his death until late Saturday night. Two of them left yesterday morning to bring the body back.

TOOK PRUSSIC ACID.

Ann Arbor Student Ended His Life, Which He Says in a Note, Was a Failure.

ANN ARBOR, MICH., Feb. 16.—Albert O. Klein of Chicago, a student in the University of Michigan, committed suicide early today by taking prussic acid.

This is the second suicide among the university students within the last two weeks. No reason is known for Klein's act. He left a note saying his life was a failure but giving no reason why. Klein was a good student and stood well in his classes. He was apparently happy at all times. Of late he has been troubled slightly with insomnia and has also had several light attacks of malaria, but his general health has been good. He arose early today and after taking a bath swallowed the poison which he had no trouble in securing, as he was a chemist.

BADGES FOR YOUNG TEDDY.

Oklahoma Live Stock Association Has Forwarded a Number to the President's Son.

WICHITA, KAS., Feb. 16.—(Special.)—The Oklahoma Live Stock association has forwarded an express package to Groton, Mass., which will undoubtedly please its recipient, Theodore Roosevelt, Jr. The box contains about one dozen elaborate badges worn by various cattlemen's association members, when they attended the Wichita meeting.

All of them are decorated with scenes from the range. One badge carried a small rough rider's hat and a rabbit's foot. The badge of the St. Louis delegation was among the number. Young Roosevelt, it is understood, is a collector of convention badges, having several thousand.

An X mark in the circle of the Citizens party will make your ballot count against contractors naming the men to inspect their work.

Servant Died Suddenly.

Mattie Wolf, a servant employed at the Hotel Geetz, in East Pittsburgh, died yesterday, and a post-mortem examination of the body will be made today. The girl was taken ill shortly after midnight and Dr. W. L. Hunter was called in and gave her some medicine, but no relief followed. The girl was 23 years old. Her parents live in Houtzdale, Clearfield county.

Use only the Citizens' ticket for voting purposes.

Killed by a Train.

John Kleylein, a farmer, 75 years old, was instantly killed yesterday at Stewart station. He had been collecting rents from his tenants and while returning home on the railroad track he stepped out of the way of one train and was struck by another that came up behind him.

Police Raid a House.

The house at No. 513 Ross street was raided last night by Police Capt. John E. Cramer and a squad of policemen. Three women, eight men and a stock of beer were found. Mrs. Emma Baker, charged with keeping a disorderly house, put up $105 as a forfeit for her appearance at the hearing today.

Vote for home rule by supporting the Citizens ticket.

A SAVINGS ACCOUNT Is Often the Stepping Stone to Fortune.

Nine out of ten successful men get their start in life by saving a part of every dollar they earn. When their opportunity comes they are ready for it. Hadn't you better prepare for yours? We pay 4 per cent interest on all savings accounts. The Mercantile Trust Company, 413-415 Wood street. uwy

NEGRO OUTLAWS COMMIT MURDER AND BREAK JAIL

Overpower the Keeper, Wrest Guns from Woman and Stand Off the Town.

YOUNG MAN SHOT DEAD

In the Excitement Following the Murder the Negroes Escape Through a Rear Entrance—Both Are Believed to Be Wounded.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

SUMTERVILLE, FLA., Feb. 16.—Henry Wilson and Julius Goodwin, notorious negro outlaws, made a savage attack on Deputy Sheriff Charles Lane yesterday afternoon as he was leading them into their cells from the corridor. The officer was knocked to the floor and seriously wounded.

The men then ran through the jailer's residence and were attacked by Mrs. Lane, who was rushing to the assistance of the officer with a Winchester rifle and repeating gun in her hands. The negroes attacked her and wrenched the weapons from her. The woman's screams attracted a great crowd and the negroes, barricading themselves behind their victim, began using their weapons on all who entered the house.

George Stafford, a young white man, was dangerously wounded in the head with a club, and Willie Porter, another white man, was badly wounded in a clinch fight. In a few minutes news of the battle at the sheriff's house spread through the town and places of business were closed and scores of people with all kinds of weapons ran to the scene. The negroes had rushed upstairs and barricaded themselves from the throng below. Lee Graham, one of the most prominent young men in the town, with gun in hand, attempted to reach the second floor and was shot dead on the steps.

In the excitement following the murder the men escaped through the back and though several shots were fired at them in the pursuit managed to get away. Both of them are believed to be seriously wounded.

CONFUSION OVER TRUNK.

Drayman Wanted to Deliver at Wrong Place, While Owner Waited in Vain.

The mysterious actions of a negro drayman who tried energetically to deliver a trunk at a Fifth avenue restaurant, where it was not wanted, are explained in an advertisement in the papers. The negro appeared at the restaurant on Saturday and insisted that a trunk he had on his wagon belonged there, and when he was forbidden to bring the trunk in he hung about for an hour trying to make a dash with it through the door. He said he had been told to take the trunk to No. 505 Fifth avenue and he was bound to obey orders.

All day yesterday D. B. McCannell, a carpenter, stayed in his new home at No. 505 Ross street because his trunk had not come. It contained all his good clothes. McCannell had forgotten the street name when he told a negro drayman to deliver his trunk from his old boarding place to No. 505 Fifth avenue. He should have said Ross street. He advertises to give a reward to the drayman if he will bring the trunk to the right place on Ross street, right around the corner from the Fifth avenue restaurant.

End Stone rule by putting an X mark in the circle of the Citizens party.

M'ELDOWNEY HOME DESTROYED BY FIRE

FAMILY NARROWLY ESCAPED WITH THEIR LIVES.

Flames Ignited from a Water Heater in the Cellar and Could Not Be Controlled Until the Residence Was Consumed. Loss Is About $38,000.

Fire at an early hour this morning totally destroyed the residence of H. C. McEldowney, president of the Union Trust Company, at the corner of Rosewood avenue and Wightman street, East End. Mr. McEldowney, his wife and three small children had a very narrow escape from being burned to death, and at the last minute were rescued from the burning building by neighbors with long ladders.

The total loss on the building will figure about $38,000, and all the clothes, jewelry and property of the residents and servants were destroyed. The occupants of the house escaped partially dressed and the children had very little clothing on when rescued.

The family retired shortly before 10 o'clock last night and, as has been their custom during the recent cold snap, left the gas burning in a water heater in the cellar to keep the water pipes from freezing. About 1:45 o'clock Mrs. McEldowney was awakened by the odor of smoke. She rushed immediately from her apartments to her husband's room and awakened him. The three servants in the house were called and all made their way to the cellar.

The flames under the water heater had ignited the wood of the wainscoting and there was but a small fire. An effort was made to put this out, but it failed, and the servants and children ran out to a front porch and by loud screams gave the alarm.

The fire soon worked to the second story of the residence and Mr. McEldowney and his wife and children rushed to their apartments to try to save some of their personal effects.

When they tried to make their escape from the second story they found it impossible to do so, as the stairs were on fire. The family rushed to a balcony in the front of the house and their cries for help were responded to by E. G. Stinert, who rushed across from his home with a ladder and rescued Mr. and Mrs. McEldowney and their three children.

The occupants of Col. W. A. Robinson's house, across the street, were awakened by the shrieks and screams of Mrs. McEldowney and servants and Col. Robinson's son and F. W. Stinert sent in an alarm. The fire department responded but the fire had gained such headway it was impossible to check it.

The house was just completed by Mr. McEldowney a few months ago. It was a 14-roomed brick and stone colonial structure, and has been occupied by the family for the past three weeks. Early this morning Mr. McEldowney stated the house was insured to the amount of $20,000. The McEldowney family went to Col. Robinson's house after the fire.

Services in the Jail.

David T. Moore, formerly of the Bostonians, sang at the religious services in the county jail yesterday. The other singers were Mrs. Edwin Miller, Mrs. James Sloane, Louis Vierheller and Walter Sawyers. The new piano, secured by the County Prison association, was used for the first time, at which Miss Eva Biven presided. The Rev. Dr. E. R. Donahoe conducted the services.

Don't risk the loss of your vote. Put an X mark in the circle of the Citizens party.

Third Conviction of Murder.

SANDUSKY, O., Feb. 16.—David Wingate was today convicted of murder in the first degree for killing Fred Blancke, a well-to-do vintner. This is the third trial. He was twice convicted and sentenced to be electrocuted. Winget is a veteran of the civil war and strenuous efforts have been made on this account to save him from the chair.

Vote for genuine reform.

SHOE MAGNETISM

Always in the lead. These stores are today showing, fully a month in advance of all others, the largest and finest lines of

SPRING SHOES

that will be seen this season.
Style, Quality, Price—
Three of the magnets that continually draw shoe buyers to these stores.

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$2.90
$3.50

These Shoes are made of Fine Vici Kid—Patent Leather and Box Calf, with Heavy or Medium Soles—wide or close edges, Plain or Fancy Stitchings—Workmanship perfect—No wax, thread or nails to hurt the foot—They have the famous Goodyear Welts—and are thoroughly up to the latest ideas of fashion as to shape and style for all sorts of wear—

The values stitched, welted and lasted into these goods—and the prices we have put upon them—should tempt you to buy two or three pairs at once. You can see them in our windows, you can examine them in the store, and we cordially urge inspection.

At either store—Smithfield or Market St.

W. M. LAIRD CO.

LOCAL NEWS OF ALL PITTSBURGH

THREE Cities, Forty-Five Boroughs, Twenty-Six Townships. Population, 726,064. Area, Square Miles, 316.22.

FIFTH in Volume of Bank Clearings. Fourth in Rank Among Cities. Appropriately Called "The Workshop of the World."

Found Dead in Bed—An infant son of Bernard McMann of No. 405 Walker street, Allegheny, was found dead in bed yesterday morning. It was reported to the coroner that the child died of convulsions.

Put an X mark in the circle of the Citizens party. The postscript bulldozers can't find it out.

Blaze From Overheated Stove—Box No. 116 was pulled yesterday afternoon for a small fire in a tenement house in Liberty avenue, near Twelfth street, caused by an overheated stove. The damage done was slight.

Vote against the Stone-Flinn ticket and bond issues to lie in the banks.

Died Without a Doctor—Thomas Wukovlz of No. 2945 Spruce alley died of consumption on Thursday. As no physician attended him recently his death was reported to the coroner yesterday and a death certificate was issued. He was a married man, 45 years old.

An X mark in the Citizens party circle is a vote for popular self-government.

Small Fire in a Store—A small fire occurred at the confectionery store and residence of Peter Bitner, No. 130 South Twenty-third street, yesterday afternoon, caused by fire working underneath a grate. The blaze was extinguished before serious damage had been done.

Vote for reform and rebuke the ringsters.

Smallpox in McKees Rocks—McKees Rocks has another case of smallpox, the victim being H. Reis, who boarded on Seifier street and worked at the Pittsburgh locomotive works in Allegheny. His boarding house was quarantined with several boarders in it and he was taken to the borough pest house in Stowe township.

Put an X mark in the circle of the Citizens party to get your taxes reduced.

New Church for Verona—The Verona Methodist Episcopal church congregation yesterday began subscriptions for a new $50,000 house of worship. At yesterday's service $2,000 was subscribed and enough promised to insure the building of the new church. Increased membership in the congregation necessitated the building of the new church.

Vote for the Citizens' ticket and street pavements that will last.

Mill Starts With Union Men—The Oakmont Glass Company will start its plant at Oakmont this morning, employing union men. For some time the company has been non-union, but the scarcity of non-union glass workers caused the company to accept the union scale. The company operates one of the largest bottle plants in this end of the state.

Put an X mark in the circle of the Citizens party and give the postscript alliance its finish.

Broke Through the Ice—William Pannal, a 13 year-old boy, had a narrow escape from drowning yesterday morning. With a party of others he was skating on the Monongahela river, near the foot of South Thirty-fourth street, when he broke through the ice. He was rescued by his brother and other skaters and taken to his home at No. 3402 Carson street.

Vote against the Stone-Flinn ticket and bond issues to lie in the banks.

Will Organize a Branch—A branch of the Anti-Saloon league of Pennsylvania is to be organized this evening at a meeting to be held in the First United Brethren church, East Pittsburgh. The branch will be composed of members from East Pittsburgh, Turtle Creek, Wilmerding and Pitcairn. The call for the meeting was issued by the pastor and two members of each church society in the Turtle creek valley.

End the game of graft by putting an X mark in the circle of the Citizens party.

Dr. Talmage Preaches Here—The Rev. Dr. Frank De Witt Ttalmage of Chicago, former pastor of the Second Presbyterian church, Pittsburgh, occupied his old pulpit yesterday morning and evening in the absence of the pastor, the Rev. S. Edward Young, who is on his way to the Holy Land. The church was crowded to its fullest extent at both services and hundreds of people waited both morning and evening to shake hands with Dr. Talmage.

Every vote counts. Don't throw your's away.

Bartenders Met—The bartenders' union of Pittsburgh and Allegheny met last night at No. 404 Smithfield street. Twenty-seven new members were initiated, making the membership of the union 685. This organization has sprung up in a few months, being installed by National Organizer Thomas H. Flynn of the American Federation of Labor. The meeting last night elected James Clark a delegate to the meeting at Wilkesbarre, Pa., March 10, which is to form a state organization of the American Federation of Labor.

Vote the Citizens ticket and reduce your taxes.

Increasing Plants—The United Engineering and Foundry Company of this city is making extensive additions to two of its most important plants. The plant of the Lloyd-Booth Company in Youngstown, O., and of the Frank-Kneeland Company of this city, constituents of the United Company, are being largely increased in capacity. The combined corporation, since its organization, has been rushed with business, especially in rolling mill equipment and present facilities are inadequate.

Put an X in the circle of the Citizens party and free yourself from oppression.

Struck by an Iron Beam—Steve Bolstoni, an Italian, aged 23 years, of West Carson street, South Side, is at the Allegheny General hospital suffering with a broken jaw, a badly torn ear and an ugly scalp wound, sustained on Saturday afternoon by a heavy iron beam falling on him. He was brought to the hospital Saturday night by two Italian friends who could talk little English, and all the authorities could learn was that Bolstoni was a bridge worker and was injured while at work on a railroad bridge. He will recover.

Get your vote in early, and then remind your neighbor.

Lincoln Memorial Meeting—The laymen of the Bellevue Methodist Episcopal church held a Lincoln memorial service last night. Frank Cruikshank presided. Prof. Arthur Bennett read a scripture lesson and the Rev. W. D. Lighter, assistant secretary of agriculture, led in prayer. Addresses were delivered by George H. Quaill, Thomas Benner, Russell Mitchell, the Rev. Mr. Lichter and E. M. Parker. Helen Harper recited Lincoln's Gettysburg address. There was a large attendance.

An X mark in the circle of the Citizens party counts for honest government.

Large Class Confirmed—The Rt. Rev. Cortlandt Whitehead, bishop of the Protestant Episcopal diocese of Pittsburgh, conducted the rite of confirmation upon a class of 30 in St. Mary's Protestant Episcopal church in Braddock last night. Bishop Whitehead also preached the sermon. There was a very large congregation present to witness the ceremony, which had not been carried out in the Braddock Protestant Episcopal church for almost two years. Bishop Whitehead was assisted in the service by the rector, the Rev. Dr. John Dyess.

Don't take chances on having your ballot thrown out. Put an X mark in the circle of the Citizens party.

Almost Caused a Riot—About noon yesterday No. 15 engine company answered a still alarm of fire for a blaze in a cupboard, caused by an overheated flue in the residence of John Cummings, No. 42 Mulberry alley. When the firemen arrived a riot was imminent in the neighborhood. The place is thickly populated and the alarm caused many to hurry from their homes with little clothing on. When they discovered the fire was not likely to spread they became angry and threatened Mrs. Cummings, whom, they said, attempted to burn up the settlement. Capt. McGuire immediately ordered the water turned on the crowd, but before it was necessary the excited people fled in a hurry and disappeared in their homes. The damage amounted to $25.

Put an X mark in the circle of the Citizens party, where it will do good.

Looking for a Mother—Mrs. Jennie Marshall, matron of the First Allegheny day nursery, has appealed to the police to assist her in locating Mazie Holt. Margaret, a 4-year-old daughter of the woman, died in the nursery Saturday evening of bronchitis and Mrs. Marshall wants to know what to do with the body. She says that the child has been in the nursery two and a half years and that the mother was devoted to her, coming frequently to see her and dressing her handsomely. The mother paid her last visit two weeks ago and left an address where word was to be sent to her in case anything happened to the little one. When the child was taken sick Mrs. Marshall sent word to the mother, but could get no trace of her. She will have the body prepared for burial, hoping meanwhile that the mother will be heard from.

An X mark in the circle of the Citizens party will make the ballot count for justice to the South Side.

Gift to a Cripple—St. Paul's Orphan asylum, which is now located at Crafton, received a handsome gift yesterday. There were a large number of visitors yesterday, and among them a lady from Pittsburgh. Father Michael Lynch was taking a party through the institution and a boy in one of the wards attracted the lady's attention. Both the lad's legs are crippled badly. He has been in the asylum for two years and his condition is such that he will never be able to take care of himself and will probably end his days at St. Paul's. The plight of the lad aroused the lady's sympathy and she gave Father Lynch a check for $100 for the boy's benefit. She promised that she would give a like sum every year as long as she lived and would make provision in her will for a bequest that would produce $100 annually. The only stipulation she made was that her name should not be made public.

Every vote counts. Don't throw your's away.

DOLAN URGES ACTION.

Mine Workers' President Is Anxious to Have a Hospital Plan for Mr. Carnegie.

President Patrick Dolan of the Pittsburgh district organization of the United Mine Workers of America yesterday denied the report that Andrew Carnegie had volunteered to give $50,000 toward the establishment of a workingman's hospital in Pittsburgh.

"We have had no definite proposition from Mr. Carnegie," said Mr. Dolan. "He has assured us of support and it only remains for the representatives of the working people to act so that Mr. Carnegie may have something definite on which to go further.

"We have compiled figures showing that the present hospital facilities of Pittsburgh are inadequate. What we need is concerted action to give the great ironmaster something tangible to act upon. Our own organization is, I believe, the most extensive contributor of organized workingmen to the Saturday and Sunday Hospital association. Through this we have been able to place hundreds of our people in the hospitals of Pittsburgh who would otherwise be unable to get in. This has cost us very little in comparison to the benefit derived.

"Delay of other representatives of labor to take this matter up has given me more than a little annoyance. I am anxious to have all participate. It is not a one-man proposition. The labor organizations and other workingmen should not hesitate to contribute to the furtherance of the plan. Pittsburgh needs more hospitals, and Mr. Carnegie stands ready to aid us in establishing what will be a complete and adequate free hospital for workingmen.

"I am anxious to have all representatives of the workingmen of this district attend the meeting at miners' headquarters the night of February 20."

Tennessee Town Suffers from Fire.

NASHVILLE, TENN., Feb. 16.—About two-thirds of the business portion of Woodbury, Cannon county, burned tonight, the loss being estimated at from $50,000 to $75,000. The fire forced the long distance operators to move out and details are meager.

Japanese Minister on Southern Tour

CHARLESTON, S. C., Feb. 16.—The Japanese minister, Kogoro Takahira, and his wife, arrived at Summerville today from Washington and will visit the exposition tomorrow.

CHICAGO TRAINS.

The Most Complete Accommodations from Pittsburgh.

The Chicago passenger service of the Pennsylvania lines from Pittsburgh affords the most complete accommodations. The business man can leave Pittsburgh every day at 7:30 p. m., city time, on the Chicago special, or at 9:15 p. m., on the Chicago limited (no extra fare), in sleeping cars which start from Pittsburgh, reaching Chicago next morning at 8 and 8:55 respectively. Breakfast after reaching Chicago by Chicago special; breakfast before reaching Chicago on the limited. Time for full day's business in Chicago and optional for passenger to leave there returning at 3 p. m., 5:30 p. m. (Pittsburgh limited—dinner on train—no extra fare), 7:30 p. m., (Pittsburgh special), arrive at Pittsburgh 6:50 a. m., 7 a. m. or 8:45 a. m., Pittsburgh time.

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SEVENTY MILES OF ICE BLOCKS THE ALLEGHENY

An Immense Gorge Covers the Surface of the River.

BREAK UP MEANS DAMAGE

In Many Places the Ice Is Piled from 15 to 20 Feet High and Extends Far Below the Surface of the Stream.

For 70 miles above this city a great ice gorge blocks the Allegheny river, and the growth of the great mass is being watched with alarm by the owners of property along the river.

When the gorge first formed, over a month ago, it was a small affair and little danger was feared from it. As the days passed, however, and instead of breaking it was frozen harder and extended farther up the river the alarm of observers increased and now it is conceded that little short of a miracle will allow the opening of the river without an attendant amount of damage to property.

The West Penn and Allegheny Valley railroads, whose tracks are laid along the river's banks, have men watching the great mass all the time.

The average thickness of the gorge is from 8 to 12 feet, and in some places the huge cakes are piled 20 feet above the surface of the river, which is low.

Ice Becomes Thicker.

A sudden thaw, followed by the consequent rise, is likely to cause a break in the gorge at any time, but old rivermen say that it will take a big flood to budge it. The present comparatively warm weather has caused the ice to sag until only a few inches are left between the bottom of the great field and the bed of the river.

As the water falls the ice becomes thicker and thicker, and the stream is restrained to a still more shallow channel. A flood stage will cause the breaking up of the ice on the headwaters and this great mass will be piled up on the present gorge and when the pressure of the water reaches a sufficiently high point the whole mass will give way and rush down the stream on the crest of the flood.

Between Bouquet station and New Kensington the gorge is the worst. It extends far above stream level and almost to the bottom. At Montrose teams have been driving across the river on the ice for weeks past.

The great gorge extends from the railroad bridge of the Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne & Chicago railway at Eleventh street 70 miles up the river.

Dynamite Used.

The stream at the Brilliant pumping station has never been in such condition in the recollection of the oldest inhabitant. A few days since the ice was packed higher above the surface than it was yesterday, but it is now settling down and closing up the passageway for the water.

As far as the eye can reach, looking up and down the river from the bank above the pumping station, only the ice, packed on edge, can be seen. It is with the greatest difficulty that the intake cribs can be kept in service, and this is done by the liberal use of dynamite, from 40 to 50 charges being used every night.

The great danger to the cribs is from the anchor ice which floats down with the stream beneath the surface ice. Thus far the engineers at the pumping station have been able to successfully cope with all the disadvantages under which they have labored in keeping up the pumping capacity to 70,000,000 gallons daily, but if the ice, which is now about 4 feet thick over the cribs, should increase to any extent it will be necessary to use extraordinary measures to keep them free and in operation.

Sudden Thaw Damaging.

A sudden thaw might work untold damage all along the river, and the most experienced rivermen are very apprehensive. The engineers for the Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne & Chicago railway bridge have taken every precaution to protect that structure in case of a sudden breaking up of the gorge, and a great rush of ice against the false work, which they have been unable to remove, and it is probable that the structure will be more or less damaged unless the mass of ice moves out quietly.

The coal men, river men and people having property within the flood limits are all preparing for the emergency and are keeping close watch upon the gorge. Everything will be done to give the ice a clear sweep when it commences to move out, and arrangements have been made to send out proper warnings to all interested parties.

Don't take chances on having your ballot thrown out. Put an X mark in the circle of the Citizens party.

WOOSTER PEOPLE ANXIOUS ABOUT NEW UNIVERSITY

Condition Upon Which $100,000 Is to Be Contributed Expires This Week.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

WOOSTER, O., Feb. 16.—This week will be a most important one to the people of Wooster, as it will see the settlement of the question as to whether the university will be rebuilt. When the institution was practically wiped out by fire, December 11, last, it was thought that the university would have to go out of existence. It was decided to make an effort to raise funds sufficient to erect a new building.

About this time an eastern man of great wealth said if by the afternoon of February 20 the friends of Wooster university outside the city would contribute $100,000, the people of Wooster and Wayne county, $40,000, that he would give $100,000 additional. Committees were organized and began work. The citizens have within $1,000 of their $40,000 and there is about $18,000 yet to raise of the first $100,000.

It is believed that other friends will come to the rescue and that a greater Wooster university will rise out of the ashes.

Vote for home rule by supporting the Citizens ticket.

Fire at Altoona.

ALTOONA, PA., Feb. 16.—(Special.)—This evening the Troy laundry on Eighth avenue here was discovered to be afire. The flames spread rapidly through the building and it was badly damaged. The adjoining structure, occupied on the first floor by Sauer Bros., and the second floor as the residence of T. C. Parsons, was also badly damaged. The total loss may reach $5,000; partly insured.

Puddlers' Wages Raised.

ALTOONA, PA., Feb. 16.—(Special.)—The Altoona Iron Company of this city has granted the men employed in the puddling department a raise of wages from $4.50 to $4.75 a ton. Every department is running double turn with orders booked many months in advance. The company recently completed improvements to the plant costing $15,000.

Numbers of prominent people too honest to impose upon others, and too sagacious to be imposed upon themselves, use and recommend Dr. D. Jayne's Expectorant for Coughs and Colds.

Don't take chances on having your ballot thrown out. Put an X mark in the circle of the Citizens party.

SHOPS TO RESUME.

Baltimore & Ohio Plant at Washington, Ind., to Be Started With Diminished Force.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 17.—The shops of the Baltimore & Ohio Southwestern Railway Company at Washington, Ind., which have been closed for three weeks on account of a strike inaugurated because the railroad company discharged about 30 laborers, for whom it was claimed there was no longer any work, will be reopened this week.

About 600 men were employed in these shops, most of them skilled workmen, but it seems doubtful if the entire force will be reinstated at once. It is stated at the general offices in this city that the engine and car shops at Washington, Ind., will be opened on Tuesday. It is intimated that the force to be employed probably will not be as large as heretofore. No further explanations are given out, but it is understood that not the slightest concession was made to the men.

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DEATHS.

ANSHUTZ—On Sunday, February 16, 1902, at 6 a. m., MINNA, daughter of the late Frederick Anshutz and Mrs. Amalia Anshutz, aged 22 years.

Funeral from the family residence, No. 268 McClure avenue, Allegheny, on Tuesday afternoon, February 18, at 2:30 o'clock.

BIER—Suddenly, on February 13, 1902, at 9 p. m., at his residence, Armstrong county, Pa., HERMAN BIER, husband of Catherine Bier (nee Krugh), aged 79 years, 1 month, 4 days.

Funeral services at German Methodist Episcopal church, Fortieth street, Lawrenceville, Pittsburgh, this afternoon at 2 o'clock. Relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

BRAY—On Saturday, February 15, 1902, at 12:40 a. m., at his residence, 5137 Woodlawn avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa., THOMAS J. BRAY, in his 67th year. He was a member of Washington lodge, F. & A. M., Jerubabel Chapter R. A. M. and Pittsburgh Commandery No. 1, K. T.

Funeral services will be held at his late residence, 5137 Woodlawn avenue, on Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock. [Warren (O.) and Cincinnati (O.) papers please copy.]

BURNS—On Sunday, February 16, 1902, at 1:15 a. m., at his residence, 230 Spring street, Allegheny, Pa., J. BURNS, husband of Mary Burns (nee Sweeney). Notice of funeral later.

CALLAHAN—On Saturday, February 15, 1902, at 10:30 p. m., at his residence, Worthington, Armstrong county, Pa., MICHAEL CALLAHAN, father of the late M. A. Callahan.

Funeral from his late residence on Wednesday morning at 9:30 o'clock. Requiem mass at St. John's, Coylesville, Pa., at 10 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. (Butler and Kittanning papers please copy.)

CURRY—On Friday, February 14, 1902, at 6:50 p. m., AGNES LOCKHART, wife of the late Hugh Curry, in her 82d year.

Funeral services at her late residence, No. 846 Beech avenue, Allegheny, this afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment private.

POLAND—On Sunday, February 16, 1902, at 3:30 a. m., at the family residence, 5903 Center avenue, East End, MARY G., wife of John Poland (nee Nash), in her 33d year. Notice of funeral hereafter.

DAVIS—On Sunday, February 16, 1902, at 4:30 a. m., at Cincinnati, O., MRS. LYDIA R., wife of the Rev. Samuel M. Davis, D. D., of Barber Institute of Alabama.

Funeral services at the Presbyterian church, Wilkinsburg, on Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock.

HYAMS—On Saturday, February 15, 1902, at 2 a. m., I. A. HYAMS, father of Mrs. W. O. Scheltz of Denver, Col., and Mrs. A. Goldsmith of Philadelphia, Pa., in his 64th year.

Funeral services at the residence of his son, Samuel Hyams, Walnut hill, Carnegie, Pa., on Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. (Philadelphia and Colorado papers please copy.)

KUHLBERS—On Sunday, February 16, 1902, at 12:10 a. m., CAROLINE, beloved wife of Peter Kuhlbers, aged 66 years.

Funeral from her late residence, McCandless township, Wednesday, February 19, at 1 p. m. Carriages will leave J. Willison & Sons, 600 Cedar ave., Allegheny, at 8 a. m.

LYON—Suddenly, February 15, 1902, at 4:30 p. m., THOMAS W., son of Robert W. and the late Harriet Lyon, aged 23 years, 3 months.

Funeral from the residence of his brother-in-law, James H. Messick, Spencer lane, McKees Rocks, Tuesday, February 18, at 2 p. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

M'KINNIE—On Friday, February 14, 1902, at 7 p. m., at her residence, Osborne Station, Pa., MRS. LINDA BEAN, widow of Henry McKinnie, aged 71 years.

Funeral services at St. Andrew's Episcopal church, Ninth street, Pittsburgh, on Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment private.

MORTIMER—On Sunday, February 16, 1902, at 12:30 p. m., at the Allegheny General hospital, GEORGE H. MORTIMER, beloved husband of Louisa M. Langhorst, in his 28th year.

Funeral services on Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at Mt Pleasant church, Trail, Pa. Train leaves Pittsburgh & Western railway station, Allegheny, at 10:45 a. m., city time.

PRELLER—On Sunday, February 16, 1902, at 8 o'clock, at her home, 4035 Penn avenue, Lawrenceville, Pa., MRS. ELIZABETH PRELLER (nee Koch), aged 77 years.

Notice of funeral later.

RIGGS—LILLIAN JANE, daughter of the late Dr. E. E. and Sarah F. Riggs, aged 2 years, 6 months.

Funeral services corner Beltzhoover and Charles streets, Knoxville, on Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

STREWING—On Sunday, February 16, 1902, at 1:15 p. m., at the residence of her sister, Mrs. William McGowan, 1541 Webster avenue, Pittsburgh, MRS. E. STREWING, of Jersey City, N. J.

Notice of funeral hereafter.

SUCCOP—On Saturday, February 15, 1902, at 5 a. m., NANNIE T., wife of W. J. Succop, in her 43d year.

Funeral from the family residence, Kansas street, Hazelwood, Monday morning at 10 o'clock. Interment private. Please omit flowers.

SWEENEY—On Sunday, February 16, 1902, at 3:30 p. m., MARY, youngest daughter of Patrick H. and Mary Sweeney (nee Foley).

Funeral from her parents' residence, 153 Cass avenue, Allegheny, Wednesday morning at 8:30 o'clock. Angels' mass at St. Francis Xavier Roman Catholic church, California avenue, Allegheny, at 9 o'clock. Friends of the family respectfully invited to attend.

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Imported goods.

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TWELVE PAGES

Tomorrow's Election.

On the eve of the city election the men who have undertaken to carry out the program of Gov. Stone in the affairs of the city of Pittsburgh find they have to reckon with an aroused and active public sentiment that was not taken into account, when the deal was entered into to transform and pervert the reform charter into an engine of oppression. Tomorrow will tell the story. The people are showing an interest in the affairs of the city that promises to work a revolution at the ballot box and turn the tide strongly for honest government from this time on. When the new charter bill became a law the people approved it for the change it promised in the management of the city's business, but when it was perverted to the purpose of continuing the system of subordinating the taxpayers to the mutual business and political advantage of a select few, with the governor of the state at their head, and providing government and public improvements at the highest cost, indignation was naturally aroused. It has not been allayed by the deliberate and strenuous efforts to disfranchise the people in the interest of the gubernatorial alliance by preventing the payment of their taxes. If, therefore, the promoters and beneficiaries of gubernatorial policy find themselves about to harvest a whirlwind of repudiation they know where to place the responsibility, for they know who sowed the wind.

A duty rests on every citizen, and it should be conscientiously discharged at the ballot box tomorrow. The voter owes a duty to himself and to his neighbor in the casting of his ballot. He should go to the voting place knowing for whom he intends to vote and should not permit himself to be swayed from his purpose. He is safe in so doing. A new element of absolute secrecy is introduced into the election this year, and it will doubtless exercise a powerful influence in determining the result. The prohibition of the numbering of the ballots makes it impossible to tell how any man has voted. There can be no subsequent persecution of those who vote as they please without desiring it to be known how they vote, and the elimination of this danger will, it is generally admitted, be a powerful aid to the anti-Stone vote.

Put an X mark in the circle of the Citizens party and your ballot will count for progress and economy.

Stone's Latest Respite.

Gov. Stone's respite of Milton Sheets has not attracted as much attention in Allegheny county as did his grant of clemency to the Biddles, because the scene of Sheets' crime was in Somerset county, while the Biddles' did their dreadful work here, but the case deserves attention, because it shows that the governor has apparently not profited by recent experiences. There are many points of similarity in the two cases. The Biddles and Sheets were burglars and killed their victims in the prosecution of their criminal trade. Sheets, like the Biddles, escaped from jail, but the Somerset murderer kept away from the officers of the law for nearly two years, when he was caught in Ohio working at his old trade of burglary. When he was taken back to Somerset he was resentenced, and would have been hanged on March 11 had not Gov. Stone interfered, in order to allow his case to go before the board of pardons.

It does not appear that any good reason exists for this exercise of executive clemency. The board of pardons should not sit as a court of appeals to retry every case that criminal courts have disposed of, and to undo the work of judges and juries.

Put an X mark in the circle of the Citizens party and get well paved streets at a fair cost.

Observance of Lent.

Religious habit and the mandate of the church are still strong enough in all ritualistic denominations to enforce a partial abstinence from worldly enjoyments during the period from Ash Wednesday to Easter. It is even true that in non-ritualistic churches the period is observed with more or less enforcement of religious duties and services, thus by example affecting the daily lives of a large number of people in every Christian community. The half-facetious raillery at the inconsistencies of those people who profess to be governed by the churchly injunction to abstain from all unnecessary indulgences is hardly deserved, for the reason that thousands of persons genuinely employ the time in rest from the more arduous social gayeties of life and by this means secure a practical benefit to both body and mind. The false assumption of religious inspiration may betray itself in a thousand ways calculated to provoke our amusement or our scorn, but this does not by any means make the season less valuable to those who perhaps would not otherwise put a check upon social extravagances that are a menace to health and strength.

Coming at a time when the social season is at its height Lent serves as an admirable incentive to rest and reflection. The strenuous modern life is hard enough at best, and if the period of withdrawal counseled by the church had no other thing to recommend it than the fact that it furnishes a breathing spell to the overtaxed devotees of society it would be well worth encouragement. But to a vast number of people it is a season of great religious and moral strengthening and helps to keep the human mind fixed upon the serious questions of life and immortality. If the public display of religious virtue and self-sacrifice be yearly growing less apparent to worldly eyes there is no reason to believe that the season has lost all its benefits for those people who in religious things do not let their right hand know what the left doeth.

Put an X mark in the circle of the Citizens party and end the $800,000 extra tax for fire insurance.

The Hospital for Workingmen.

The labor leaders of the Pittsburgh district have under consideration plans for a hospital for workingmen that is an assured success in advance of its materialization into proper form for its intended purpose. It has been taken under the protecting care of Andrew Carnegie, as an exception to his rule to leave this form of benevolence to others, and as he intends to see it through the thing is as good as done, once the plans are in proper shape. This part, and it is the easier part, falls to the lot of the leaders of the men for whose benefit it is intended. They will do Mr. Carnegie a real service by expediting their efforts so that he may free his books of the pledge and clear the way for the other matters to which he desires to address himself. The opportunity that presents itself should be taken advantage of in the quickest possible time, as a kindness to Mr. Carnegie and to those for whose benefit the hospital is to be.

Put an X mark in the circle of the Citizens party and end political corruption.

Manchester Ship Canal.

Some eight years ago the ship canal between Liverpool and Manchester was opened for traffic. This great inland waterway is some 30 miles in length and has a uniform depth of about 30 feet. The expense of its construction was approximately nearly $100,000,000, although when the project was first mooted it was estimated that at the outside $50,000,000 would complete the work.

The object those who promoted this vast undertaking had in view was to carry cotton directly from the fields of South America to the looms of Manchester, thus obviating dock charges at Liverpool and railway freight from that port to the mills in and around the former city. This to a certain extent has been accomplished. It is, however, becoming every year more apparent that every cent sunk in the canal will remain there, and is practically lost to the shareholders, who are, for the greater part, mill workers. Furthermore, the municipal council of Manchester has to make good the difference between the earnings of the canal and working expenses.

The principal reason why the canal has failed to fulfil the best expectations of those who believed it would revolutionize the cotton industry of the greatest cotton manufacturing city in the world arises from the fact that the navigation of the canal is difficult and tedious for ocean-going vessels; that cargo-carrying steamers now being built increase in tonnage and consequently in draught in proportion as it is found that such leviathans are economical in working and less liable to succumb to the vicissitudes of the ocean. It is also realized by engineers that the Suez canal must be both widened and deepened to meet the exigencies of the increased tonnage in freight and passenger-carrying steamers.

In building an isthmian canal the lesson of the Manchester ship canal and the probable overhauling of the Suez canal should impress the thought that calculations based on the contemporary size and draught of steamers may be as misleading 20 years hence as if they were based on tug-boats.

Vote for reform and rebuke the ringsters.

Father Canevin's Advice.

In an interview in the Pittsburgh Observer the Rev. Father Canevin is almost as sensational in his denunciation of the daily papers for their publications of the news of the Biddle tragedy as the papers were in their publications, ending with advice to Catholics not to read the daily papers, but to confine themselves to the Catholic weeklies. Father Canevin errs. The Catholic weeklies cannot take the place of the daily papers any more than the daily papers can take the place of the Catholic weeklies. The two classes of publications exercise dissimilar functions. It is the principal function of one to hold the mirror up to nature. The principal function of the other is to guide, counsel and instruct. News matter is a subordinate feature of the weekly; it is the necessarily dominant feature of the daily. If unpleasant things appear in the mirror that is held up to nature it is no remedy to smash the mirror. And ignorance of the evil that goes on in the world does not strengthen virtue. Virtue is made strong by resisting evil, not by having evil concealed from it. The daily papers are not a continuous Biddle performance, as those who read both secular and religious publications well know, for no small part of the news which is published in the religious weeklies with entire propriety has first appeared in the dailies. The daily papers do not slight the good, as Father Canevin will admit in his cooler moments, being a man of sense as well as a good man. They may not print as much about the good as he would like, nor as much always, perhaps, as the editors would like, but they are fairly successful in leavening the lump. We do not think Father Canevin, as a wise man, will take his own advice to stop reading the daily papers. Should he do so it would materially lessen his efficiency as the shepherd of his flock, for it is very necessary that the shepherd should know all that is going on in the world, whether it be good or whether it be bad. By avoiding the daily papers because of the reports of evil doings they may contain he would miss a multitude of good things that they tell of. If they tell of evil things they simply tell of satan's doings, and it is well to know of them, to be on guard against them. It is as necessary to know of the wolves that threaten the sheep as it is of the powers that work for their good, and the sheep are none the worse for knowing of the wolves. The daily papers are not the wolves, even when they print the news about them. And all virtue is not concentrated in the religious weeklies. Our opinion is that Catholics should read both the daily papers and the Catholic weeklies.

Vote the Citizens ticket and reduce your taxes.

Chicago isn't making nearly so much noise about entertaining the prince as New York, but the bill of fare is considerably longer in the former city.

King Edward objects to plays in which kings are burlesqued. Doubtless he feels that the real article can furnish all the burlesque that is needed.

Being presented to King Edward is fast crowding out that old lost diamond necklace gag of the theatrical press agents.

With eggs at 80 cents a dozen the National Anti-Trust association might turn its batteries on the American hen.

Prince Henry should give his nerves a good sea voyage rest. He will need them when he strikes New York.

Andrew Freedman might get even by withdrawing and forming a national ping pong association.

Representative Wheeler evidently did not know it was loaded.

Pittsburgh will take a hand at writing postscripts tomorrow.

Today for thinking, tomorrow for action.

LOOKING FOR MORE ROOM AT THE BRIDGE TERMINUS

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
Herald Building, Herald Square,
NEW YORK, Feb. 16, 1902.

Relief from the dreadful conditions at the Manhattan end of the Brooklyn bridge is always a live topic here. It has been brought into prominence again by the report that the committee of 50 Brooklyn citizens which has had the matter under consideration has decided in favor of the plan put forward by C. C. Martin, chief engineer of the bridge. It is to extend the elevated tracks in Center street and Park row, so that there will be room for the bridge trains to get out of the terminal, and operate on loops. The people of New York do not care what plan is adopted, so long as it is effective. The fact that within a few days two men were thrown down and seriously injured in the bridge crush probably had something to do with making the committee active in suggesting a remedy, and, if the consent of the authorities can be got to the elevated track plan, the work on it will proceed forthwith. It is announced that the committee of 50 will meet tomorrow night in the rooms of the Brooklyn Manufacturers' association to ratify the plan and appoint a committee to visit Mayor Low and Comptroller Grout to urge them to immediate action. If this is done, the board of estimate and apportionment will be asked to appropriate the money necessary for the construction of the road. There might be more interest in the plan if there had not been so many before it which came to nothing. There has been a slight change made in the arrangements on the bridge that helps matters to some extent. This consists in letting passengers for Brooklyn from Manhattan, mingle with the long distance riders without paying fare in Manhattan at all. They pay in Brooklyn as they go down the stairs. This saves a great deal of crushing and danger in Manhattan, but does not offer any relief of an important nature. It looks as if Gustav Lindenthal knew exactly what he was talking about when he said that the only remedy would be more bridges.

Prince Will Have Private Door.

Prince Henry, when he comes, will visit the Waldorf-Astoria hotel, but not by a doorway used by anyone else. Masons are to tear a hole in the Thirty-third street side of the hotel and put in a private doorway and elevator for the prince's exclusive use.

Automobiles Closely Watched.

Automobiles are watched closer in New York than they used to be. The killing of a little boy the other day has had a great deal to do with this extra vigilance, and the police are determined to prevent any more casualties of this kind if they can. Not only automobiles, but horses, are pulled up short when they are moving too fast or in such a way as to threaten the safety of pedestrians. A big policeman at the Bartholdi corner of Madison square—one of the most dangerous corners in the city, on account of the swinging around there of the Lexington avenue cars—seized a spanking team of bay horses attached to a swell trap, yesterday afternoon, because the driver seemed to be a trifle reckless. The policeman sprung at the horses and stopped them by main strength. Then he went for the driver, and there had to be an humble apology from the man in the trap, backed up by assertions of the handsomely-dressed woman by his side, before the policeman would let them proceed. A few weeks ago drivers seemed to whisk around that corner, and everywhere else in New York, just as they pleased.

Less Boorish Talk.

The contractors at city hall park have been working hard to get the place in decent shape before Prince Henry comes. The holes are being covered over, and the plaza is beginning to look like itself. One does not hear so much ill-natured talk about the prince's visit as was considered properly patriotic by some of the ill-conditioned Tammanyites at first. The impression seems to be gaining ground among the toughs that patriotism does not necessarily mean behaving with absolute boorishness.

Barr McIntosh's Tea.

Burr McIntosh's tea at his studio, in Thirty-third street, opposite the Waldorf-Astoria, has been much talked about today. This is the day upon which actresses expect to have time to attend to their private affairs, which includes gossip with their friends on the most interesting topic of the week. Burr and his reception has been discussed from all points of view today. Blanche Bates and Clara Bloodgood poured the tea and Burr made everyone feel at home. He has a way of doing that. He is acting at present at the Academy of Music, in "Under Two Flags," but he finds time to attend to his studio business notwithstanding. It is safe to say that there is not a more popular Bohemian in this big city than Pittsburgh's own Burr McIntosh.

"Bim," a Financier.

"Bim, the button man" must have made money out of buttons. He has filed a petition in bankruptcy, with liabilities of $11,023, and no assets. It looks as if "Bim" must be a financier. He is about to build a theater in Harlem, in spite of his monetary troubles, and, moreover, he preserves a cheerful demeanor that is the admiration of his friends, whatever his creditors may think about it. There seems to be no doubt that "Bim" will build his Harlem theater, however his application in bankruptcy may result.

Keogh's Theater a Success.

One of the most remarkable new theaters in town is W. T. Keogh's New Star, at Lexington avenue and One Hundred and Seventh street. It matters little what the show is (that ancient shocker, "The Great Train Robbery," is billed for this week) the people crowd into the house and beg the management to take their money. There were many wise ones who declared there was no room for a theater in that neighborhood. Mr. Keogh, who has been furnishing "popular" amusements for 20 years or so, thought differently. He turned the skating rink that stood on the site into a tremendously large theater and has packed it every night since the opening—Sundays, too, as a rule.

Chicago Man Startled.

In tumbling out of a theater box, after indulging in a loud-snoring nap therein, that Chicago man, Bullock, has set a new pace for fun in the White Light district. Bullock was fined $5 yesterday, and he was around today trying to make out how it all happened. Whether a man has the right to sleep in a theater seat he has paid to occupy for the evening is a question that theater managers have never answered satisfactorily. And whether a man who sleeps and snores should be pitched over headlong by a grouchy policeman is another problem. Bullock says they never do such things in Chicago. To which it might be remarked in response that Chicago does things you never see in New York, such as killing policemen by the dozen, as was done there on one memorable occasion.

Famous Paintings for Sale.

Picture lovers in New York will have a treat for the next week or ten days. The whole stock of high-class paintings of the American house of Boussod, Valadon & Co. is to be sold by the American Art association at Mendelssohn hall, on the evenings of February 26, 27 and 28. In the meantime the pictures, by some of the most renowned painters of ancient and modern times, will be on view day and evening in the American art galleries. Whether or no New York can be called the artistic center of the United States, it is undeniable that there is no other city in which the best expressions of famous artists can be enjoyed at almost any time.

Daniels Wanted Color.

They say that Frank Daniels has had his dressing room at the Casino repapered and painted. The story goes that Anna Held, who occupied the star dressing room before Daniels came, had it papered with a red ceiling and yellow walls, with a pink rug on the floor. The combination was too much for Daniels when he first entered the room, and though he had to stand it for one night he had everything made topsy-turvy before the next night. Those that have seen the dressing room now say that the ceiling is decorated in large polka-dots of green, on a blue ground, that the walls are striped with alternate scarlet and pink, and that the floor looks as if some one had spilled a pot of yellow and blue paint mixed. But if Frank Daniels likes it whose business is it, anyhow?

Agitation Over Real Estate.

Now that the famous old Durland riding academy has been burned to the ground the fight between the Paulist fathers and the people who want to build a saloon on the site will wax warmer than ever. The ground is of almost incalculable value. Opposite the lower end of Central park, on the point formed by the junction of Eighth avenue and Broadway, in the Park circle, there could not be a better position for a cafe, a theater, a circus or any other place intended strictly for the entertainment of the human species. The old academy had to come down. Now it is down the question what is to spring up in its place has become a live one. The guesses range all the way from a Chinese laundry to a hippodrome, hotel and theater combined.

Mrs. Astor Giving Dinners.

Mrs. William Astor is devoting herself to giving dinners in Lent, when she does anything at all in the social way. The leader of New York society knows how to do the proper thing, and she has long since made up her mind that a social dinner in Lent is as far as one can go. She gave a dinner last night at her Fifth avenue mansion, and there was "a little music" afterward. Which means that two high-priced vocalists sang, and got a fee for it that would equal an artisan's yearly earnings. Mrs. Astor will sail for Europe on March 5.

Radical Change for Arkell.

One of the most humorous ideas that ever struck W. J. Arkell, who has been at the head of the Judge Publishing Company for 16 years, has been announced to the world. He has resigned and will become president of the Beiset Engine Company at a salary of $25,000 a year. If there is anything more calculated to excite Mr. Arkell's risibles than a new salary of $25,000 a year it would be hard to say what it is—except a salary of $50,000. Mr. Arkell is an able man. That is self-evident, or he would not be chosen for his new and well-paid position. This is especially to be remarked when it is remembered that among the wealthy American and English capitalists backing the engine company are such shrewd financiers as J. Pierpont Morgan, Lord William Rothschild, Sir Rivers Wilson, Joseph H. Headley and the Krupp Iron Company.

Beer for the Sailors.

Let it not be forgotten that the Hohenzollern is a German yacht, manned by German officers and crew. Rear Admiral Count von Baudissin, the commander of the kaiser's yacht, had made a contract with a brewing company of Brooklyn to supply the yacht with a wagon load of beer each day while the yacht is in this harbor. The company began sending yesterday, when one of their ordinary wagons left for Hoboken with 30 kegs of beer. Tomorrow a fine white painted wagon, with four white horses, decked with the German colors, will carry the kegs. There are more than 300 men aboard of the yacht, and the brewing company think this is a very moderate order daily for so many men.

Sorrow for "Billy" West.

There is much sorrow here over the passing away of "Billy" West, the well-known minstrel performer. Lew Dockstader and his partner, Primrose, both declared today that they never had a harder time to go through their performance than last evening. They had known West so well, and had hoped so fervently that he would be able to fight down the ailment that killed him, that the news of his death came as a shock, although they had been told that there was practically no hope of his recovery. Billy West was one of the best-known actors in any branch of the amusement profession, and his death is the principal topic of conversation up town tonight. The funeral will be in Brooklyn.

"Silent" Smith Sails Soon.

James Henry ("Silent") Smith intends to sail for Europe on Tuesday next. Mr. Smith has been regarded as about the most eligible bachelor in the city this season, especially in the absence of Eugene Higgins, who, in this regard, at least, rivals, if he does not excel, the "Silent" broker. A very successful social season, this has been for Mr. Smith. He has received a great deal of attention from the fair sex, but it has not been learned that his hitherto impregnable heart has capitulated. He has given a series of elaborate dinners, sparing no expense, and has been one of the most popular hosts in New York. He intends to return by Easter Sunday.

GEORGE C. JENKS.

Pittsburghers in New York.

The following Pittsburghers are registered at the New York hotels today:

WALDORF-ASTORIA.
W. H. Schoen. Mrs. W. H. Schoen.
W. H. Schoen, Jr. Mrs. C. T. Schoen.
Mrs. M. H. McLanahan. A. R. Frazer.
Mrs. J. A. Davidson. M. R. Jackson.
Mrs. M. R. Jackson. M. R. Ward.
D. S. Bissell.

FIFTH AVENUE.
J. N. McDowell. Thomas H. Guffey.

HOFFMAN.
A. G. Holmes.

VICTORIA.
F. C. Beech. J. S. Graves.
Mrs. J. S. Graves.

STURTEVANT.
J. T. Du Shane. G. Rafferty.
William Hunt. Thomas Sherman.

HOLLAND.
Wm. Bacon Schiller. Mrs. Schiller.
Henry M. Burdett. Frank B. Smith.
Chas. D. Gillespie.

IMPERIAL.
D. M. Perrin. Augustus Hartje.
John Burne.

HERALD SQUARE.
Chas. W. Mank. J. Kaufman.
John E. Frazer. J. B. Haines, Jr.
W. A. Conner.

PERSONALS.

Two Indian chiefs, accompanied by two half-breed interpreters, created much excitement at Union station last night and it required the station police to drive back the throng that surrounded them. The chiefs are Lone Hand and No Shirt. They are members of the Umatella tribe and are on their way to Washington from the reservation in Western Oregon. They were accompanied by James Teller, their attorney. He is a half-breed. At the station they were met by Carlo Cateyse, who had been in Washington and was on his way back to the reservation. Neither of the two chiefs could talk English, so the conversation was carried on through Attorney Teller. "We are on our way to Washington," said Lone Hand, "to see the Indian commissioner and President Roosevelt in regard to the failure of the government to carry out its treaty with the Umatella tribe of Indians. This treaty was made between the tribe and the government 15 years ago. It called for certain annuities which were to be paid to my people, but about five years ago the government stopped the payments. We are bearing the original treaty with us to Washington and will inquire why the government has broken faith with us. The tribe, which numbers about 800 people, has been engaged in farming for many years and has been a peaceable tribe. We hoped to have Senator M. S. Quay present us to the Indian commissioner and President Roosevelt, but we understand that Senator Quay is absent from Washington." Carlo Cateyse said that he heard that an order had been issued by the government that the Indians must have their hair cut regularly and wear pants. He said that he would make inquiries about it, as he understood it did not specify the kind of pants, and the Indians would like to know whether they should be dress pants or overalls. The two chiefs, Lone Hand and No Shirt, had on sombreros in which were small feathers. They were clad in coats and trousers and blue flannel shirts.

Put an X mark in the circle of the Citizens party to insure that your ballot won't be thrown out.

Alexander Henderson of Thomasville, Ga., is at the Anderson hotel. "The high price for corn," he said, "is causing the farmers of Georgia to look around for cheaper food for their hogs. Experiments are being made with the Jerusalem artichoke. It is not unlike the southern artichoke and the experiment has so far been successful. Each stalk produces about a half peck."

Put an X mark in the circle of the Citizens party and get bridges that won't fall to pieces.

James Wilson, a mining expert of Nome, Alaska, passed through Pittsburgh last night on his way to New York. "I heard in San Francisco before I left," he said, "that Nome is in an epidemic of scurvy. It is reported to have been brought about by a government official who cornered the supply of onions. You know that onions are one of the greatest anti-scorbutics known. The poorer class in Nome cannot get this vegetable, as it is said to be selling there for almost its weight in gold."

An X mark in the circle of the Citizens party will make the ballot count for honest government.

R. C. Marion, a flour dealer of Cincinnati, passed through Pittsburgh last night on the Baltimore & Ohio railroad. "The bakers' convention which will be held in Cincinnati this fall promises to eclipse all former conventions held by the association," he said. "Representatives from all over the United States and Canada will be in attendance."

Put an X mark in the circle of the Citizens party and get equitable taxation.

The Rev. Dr. J. Leonard Levy went to Philadelphia to attend a meeting of the managers of the Home of Delight, which he founded about seven years ago.

Neighbors Visiting Pittsburgh.

The following residents of nearby towns were registered at the leading hotels last night:

Lincoln—Fred S. Burke, Akron, O.

Griswold—J. S. Wallace, New Castle, Pa.; J. L. Crawford, Kittanning, Pa.; H. R. Barnes, Delaware, O.; A. C. Cochran, Mt. Pleasant, Pa.

Monongahela—G. S. Taylor, M. E. Hallman, Monessen, Pa.

Henry—W. S. Blair, Greenville, Pa.; R. T. Hatch, Akron, O.; Ed L. Smith, Canton, O.; J. C. Putman, George Mellon, J. C. Sheets, W. L. Brehtel, Massillon, O.

Newell's—W. A. Zahniser, Parkersburg, W. Va.

Seventh Avenue—O. B. Pierce, Mingo Junction, O.; James Moore, Latrobe, Pa.; Eugene Evans, Lisbon, O.; L. Kentener, Altoona, Pa.

An X mark in the circle of the Citizens party will count against private snaps in public contracts.

THE DEATH ROLL.

Mrs. Lydia A. Bushfield Davis.

Mrs. Lydia Ann Bushfield Davis, wife of Rev. Samuel Miller Davis, D. D., president of the Barber institute of Anniston, Ala., died at Cincinnati yesterday morning. With her husband she had been active in missionary work for the Presbyterian church for many years. The Barber institute is a seminary for colored girls, conducted by the Presbyterian church, and Mrs. Davis was the principal assistant of her husband in the work. They went there about three years ago, and immediately preceding that charge Rev. Mr. Davis was the pastor of the Presbyterian church at Wilmerding. Mrs. Davis was the daughter of Robert Robinson, deceased, an old-time wholesale grocer of Pittsburgh, who for years was an active member of the Christ Methodist Episcopal church and a director of the old Pittsburgh Female college. She was born in Allegheny in January, 1845, and was married to Mr. Davis in 1869. Mrs. Davis had been in poor health for many years, and her condition had been dangerous since the winter set in. A month ago her daughter, Mrs. J. W. McGregor, wife of a well-known newspaper man, went south to bring her mother to the McGregor residence in Wilkinsburg, hoping that the change of climate would prove beneficial. Two weeks ago Mrs. Davis and Mrs. McGregor arrived at Cincinnati, intending to pay a brief visit to friends, but while they were sight-seeing in a carriage Mrs. Davis had an attack of heart trouble and she grew steadily worse. Mrs. Alyda McLean, a daughter, resided with her parents. R. P. Davis, whose headquarters as the representative of a Pittsburgh manufacturing concern are in Buda-Pesth, Hungary, is a son, and Quincy A. Robinson is a brother of Mrs. Davis. Two grandchildren survive her.

The Rev. George C. Needham.

PHILADELPHIA, PA., Feb. 16.—(Special.)—The Rev. George C. Needham, evangelist and author of several religious works, died suddenly at Narberth today of neuralgia of the heart. He was one of a family of four evangelists, his three brothers being well known in religious circles of this and other states. Born in Ireland about 63 years ago, he evinced a strong desire for evangelistic work, but he met with many reverses and, when still a boy, he came to this country. Mr. Needham was associated prominently with the late Dwight L. Moody at Northfield, Mass., and upon the latter's death was looked upon as being the most available man to carry on the work of that noted revivalist. He was connected with conferences for Bible study held at different times throughout the United States. Mr. Needham for many years had traveled through the different states of the union, holding revival services, and his influence as a preacher was widespread. He had just returned home on Wednesday evening after a trip through Tennessee, conducting revival services throughout the state. Previous to that he had made a four months' tour through the southern states on a like mission, with great success. He was to have started away next week to be absent four or five months. During the week of prayer in Narberth Mr. Needham conducted several services at the different churches, which proved to be of great spiritual benefit to the community. Among his best known works are "The Spiritual Life," "Shadow and Substance," and "Conflict and Courage." He is survived by a widow, also an evangelist, and two sons.

Mrs. Anna Lee.

ROCHESTER, PA., Feb. 16.—(Special.)—Mrs. Anna Lee, a well-known woman of this place, died this afternoon suddenly as the result of heart disease. She was owner of the St. James, one of the oldest hotels in Beaver county. She was the widow of Thomas Lee, who formerly conducted the hotel. She was born in New Brighton, July 25, 1844, her maiden name being Miss Anna Wooley. She was a member of Trinity Episcopal church at this place, and was well known and active in church circles. Mrs. Lee is survived by two daughters, Mrs. H. H. Harsha of Chicago and Mrs. W. G. Cunningham of Iowa, also by the following brothers and sisters: John Wooley of Wellsville, James of Mansfield, O., Edward M. of Rochester, Mrs. Robert Booth and Miss Emma Wooley of Wellsville, Mrs. Harry Greene and Mrs. Louis Boswell of New Brighton.

Mrs. Elizabeth Preller.

Mrs. Elizabeth Preller, widow of Charles Preller, died last night at her home, No. [illegible] Penn avenue. She was 77 years old, and one of the oldest residents of Lawrenceville. Mrs. Preller, who was the daughter of John Koch, was born in Marburg, Germany, and came to this country in 1839. She was married to Charles Preller on March 11, 1860, by the Rev. Mr. Walther, pastor of the Smithfield Street German Lutheran church. She was a member of the Ladies of the G. A. R., Col. O. H. Rippey post. Mrs. Preller was well known in Lawrenceville and highly respected by every one who knew her. She is survived by three children, Mrs. Lena M. Coleman, Will C. and Charles F. Preller.

William T. Dixon.

JERSEY CITY, N. J., Feb. 16.—(Special.)—William T. Dixon, 52 years old, a well-known actor and a member of James O'Neill's "Monte Cristo Company," died this afternoon at St. Francis hospital, this city, after an illness of one week. Mr. Dixon came to Jersey City with his company last Monday to play a week's engagement. He portrayed the part of Danglos, the villain. He contracted a cold on the first day. Mr. O'Connor of the Knickerbocker theater of New York made arrangements to have the body shipped to Columbus, O., where Mrs. Dixon and her two sons live.

Col. William Stone.

HOLLIDAYSBURG, PA., Feb. 16.—(Special.)—Col. William Stone, a former burgess of Gaysport, this county, and the treasurer of that municipality for 40 years, died this evening, aged 82 years. He was born in Philadelphia, and was a charter member of the Western Fire Company of that city. He was a leading iron foundryman of Central Pennsylvania, and a member of the McLanahan-Stone Machine Company of Hollidaysburg. He is survived by his widow, three sons and two daughters.

Edward McFarland.

CHICAGO, ILL., Feb. 16.—Edward McFarland, a leading resident of Hawaii and proprietor of the Royal Hawaiian hotel at Honolulu, died early today at the Auditorium hotel from acute pneumonia. Mr. McFarland was married but two weeks ago to Miss Florence Ballinger of San Francisco. The couple were on their way to New York on their wedding tour when Mr. McFarland contracted a severe cold. The body will be taken to San Francisco for burial.

Cornelius Roosevelt.

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—Cornelius Roosevelt, the only surviving son of the late S. Weir Roosevelt, and a cousin to President Roosevelt, is dead of heart disease in this city. Mr. Roosevelt was born in this city 54 years ago, and was educated at the Rensselaer Polytechnic institute at Troy. Shortly after completing his course there he went abroad and has lived since that time chiefly in Paris.

Frank B. Brookman.

CHICAGO, Feb. 16.—Frank B. Brookman, head of the Brookman Manufacturing Company, and one of Chicago's representative German-American citizens, died here today of cancer of the stomach. He had been ill for six months, but until recently was able to be about. Mr. Brookman served several terms as a member of the city council.

George Washington Gibbs.

MT. PLEASANT, PA., Feb. 16.—(Special.)—George Washington Gibbs, aged 65, is dead at his home on Spruce street. Mr. Gibbs was one of the pioneer wagon builders of Western Pennsylvania and was a member of Robert Warden Post, G. A. R. of this city. He is survived by his widow and eight children.

Miss Minna Anshutz.

Miss Minna Anshutz died yesterday morning at the family home in McClure avenue, Allegheny. Miss Anshutz was a teacher in the Ninth ward school, Allegheny. She was a member of the class of '97 of the Allegheny High school. She is survived by her mother, three sisters and two brothers.

Obituary Notes.

Mrs. Mary O. Poland died yesterday at her home, No. [illegible] Center avenue. She is survived by her husband, John Poland.

I. A. Hyams died on Saturday at the age of [illegible]. The funeral services will be held tomorrow at 2 p. m. at the house of his son, Samuel Hyams, Walnut Hill, Carnegie.

Put an X mark in the circle of the Citizens party to make your vote count.

Full Protection Extended.

From the Philadelphia Ledger.

Attorney General Knox's bill providing for the issuance of passports to residents of Porto Rico, the Philippines and our other insular possessions, the same as to citizens of this country, is a further step and an important one in the assimilation of those possessions. By issuing these passports the government asserts, in effect, that the bearers are American citizens, assumes responsibility for them and extends them its protection as fully as it does to any citizen of the United States.

What the Editors Are Discussing

THE STATE PRESS.

Vote the Citizens ticket and reduce your taxes.

Mr. Carnegie will now do well to include Paterson on the list for distribution of libraries.—Scranton Tribune.

Practical politicians are expecting the spring elections next week to throw a flood of light on the gubernatorial situation.—Bedford Inquirer.

The large number of candidates for mine foremen examined in Connellsville every year argues strongly in favor of the proposed school of mines in connection with the Carnegie free library.—Connellsville Courier.

The Penn Plate Glass Company wants $65,000 from the Pennsylvania railroad for running its tracks through the company's abandoned property at Irwin. A person could purchase almost the entire village for that amount.—Belle Vernon Enterprise.

The gubernatorial situation may be sized up to be about as follows: Attorney General Elkin is the leading aspirant for the Republican nomination, with Lieutenant Governor Lewis A. Watres as an active rival, and Congressman Sibley and others receptive candidates.—Butler Eagle.

One of Warren's men who is in a position to know nearly whereof he speaks is authority for the statement that within the past few months about $800,000 has gone out of Warren in mining investments. This is a large sum of money to be spent from one town of slightly over 10,000 inhabitants.—Warren Mirror.

Capitalists continue to invest millions of dollars in railroads, mills and mines in this locality and why? Because they are sure of millions and millions in return dividends. In other words they consider Monongahela valley property and industries safe and paying investments.—McKeesport News.

A good many voters in this "neck o' woods" are snowed in and will stay holed-up election day, not caring to vote. Staying away from the polls and then grumbling about those who are elected is poor business and too common. The best way is to vote for your choice and get your neighbor to do the same.—Warren Mail.

New Castle is congratulating itself that the senate, at the request of Senator Quay, has passed the bill appropriating $145,000 for the erection of a public building for postoffice purposes in that thriving and prosperous town. We sincerely hope the house will also pass it, and thus assure its erection. Sharon should be the next town in this section to have similar congressional action.—Sharon Herald.

Already considerable alarm is felt at the possibilities of great damage, and possibly loss of life, when the expected thaw comes. The rivers are full of ice and rivermen declare that nothing like the present gorge of ice in the lower Allegheny has been witnessed for many a year, and each day adds to the danger, which threatens bridges and property along the banks of the river below the head of the gorge. Of course the streams may be opened without disaster, but the situation is not assuring.—Butler Eagle.

An X mark in the circle of the Citizens party is a blow at bargain counter politics.

IN THE RURAL DISTRICTS.

A wretch who will steal chickens from an editor is unfit to live. Some miscreant made a raid on Editor Laymon's hennery, at Fort Allegany, the other night and stole five hens.—McKean Democrat.

H. P. Richardson of Monroe killed a beef last week that weighed, dressed, 1,200 pounds. The hide and tallow weighed 225 pounds. The animal was 4 years and 3 months old, and a few days before it was killed tipped the beam at 2,350 pounds.—Conneaut Post-Herald.

A hog that weighed 1,178 pounds after it was bled was slaughtered on the Exmoor farms near Lebanon recently. It measured 10 feet from snout to tail, and stood as high as a fair sized pony. The teeth were three inches in length. It was 3 years old.—Chambersburg Public Opinion.

'Squire J. B. Morris says the recipe given in the Spirit recently to make hens lay is a fraud. "Before using it," says the 'squire, "I was getting 14 eggs a day regularly. After using it for two weeks faithfully my egg production was reduced to one a day, and I think the hen that still lays must somehow have failed to get any of the egg food."—Punxsutawney Spirit.

A man from Stretchet, Washington township, took his cow to James Patterson to take a look at so he could make out a bill for the lumber to make a cow stable. James went out in the street and surveyed her all over; then went back and made out the bill and sent the lumber out to him.—Fayette City Journal.

The literary and pie social given at the Porter school on Friday evening was all that could be desired. Mr. Buckley of Hendersonville entertained the audience with his graphophone for some time. Then the regular program was carried out. While the auctioneer sold the pies Mr. Buckley occasionally delivered a piece of music. The proceeds were $3 15.—Sandy Lake News.

The roads in the country districts are so badly drifted that they are impassable in many places, and the farmers are almost isolated, and as a consequence very little produce comes to town from the rural districts. Few hucksters were able to reach Windber the early part of the week, and supplies from that source have also been cut off somewhat.—Windber Journal.

East Brady seems determined to distance all other localities in the matter of furnishing snake stories. Last week mention was made of the capture of a garter snake by O. C. Rankin. Since that time three other snakes, all of the garter variety, and, of course, of large size, have been captured. Prof. P. S. Space caught one at the upper school building. The snake had its head sticking out between the foundation stones of the building, and was easily made a prisoner, being stiff and torpid from the cold. Another was caught crawling over the snow on the Cunningham farm by Engineer William Palm, and still another by Grant Jardine on the same farm. Their appearance at this season of the year has called forth many opinions by those who profess to believe in "signs" as to what the unusual occurrence signifies.—East Brady Review.

Put an X mark in the circle of the Citizens party and end postscript politics.

A MEMORIAL NUMBER.

Yesterday's Issue of The Pittsburgh Gazette Commemorates Washington's Birthday—It Was an Entirely Modern Newspaper.

Yesterday's Gazette was a marvel of modern journalism. No paper in the city equaled it from the news columns to the fine color illustrations. It was a Washington's birthday number. There were six sections, 48 pages, every page filled with profitable and entertaining reading.

To begin with, the news columns proper had the very latest happenings both at home and abroad. The financial and real estate columns reported everything of interest in these markets. Payne's funny page was a specimen of the humorous not found in any paper in this country. Once the children get interested in The Gazette's coon they'll want to see this page every week.

The magazine supplement, with its fine color illustrations of the early revolutionary days, was equaled by no paper in the city. The Gazette's staff of artists is an unrivaled one in the world of newspaper illustration.

The magazine features contained tributes to America's first president by representatives of every profession in the country, from the senate to the stage. The third section was devoted to pages of interest to women and special stories well illustrated.

The "beauty quest" conducted by Katherine Morton is exciting the attention of the women folks, also the bright articles on women's lives in general. The page devoted to fashion was a mirror of the latest modes, both at home and abroad. "Our New York Cousin's letter" is always a readable thing. This clever writer has invariably something to say that will interest women.

From Berlin, Heinrich Braun cabled The Gazette a "story" about C. M. Schwab's doings in Germany. The fourth section was devoted to the literary, humorous and religious, and happenings in the theatrical and society worlds.

The "Who's What and Why" papers, being a series of caricature-biographies of famous men, are brim full of humorous sayings. George Seibel's literary page is always a resume of the latest events interesting the literary world. Here, too, are reviewed the best productions of the publishing houses.

The religious page can always be relied upon to report something of interest to everyone. J. Martin Miller's story from the pope's birthplace was full of newsy and entertaining reading. The numerous correspondents of The Gazette in the great European capitals cabled the very latest happenings from these centers of news. Yesterday's Gazette is a number worth preserving.

The Oleomargarine Debate.

From the New York Times.

The only really valuable contribution to the literature of the subject which the discussion has brought out is the report of the minority of the house committee on agriculture, which establishes the fact on high and disinterested scientific testimony "that oleomargarine is a wholesome and nutritious article of food, and is, therefore, entitled to a legitimate place in the commerce of the country."

Vote for genuine reform.

THE MAN UP A TREE

From a High Viewpoint.

Good morning! Have you made up your mind how to vote?

New York city is in a deliriously ecstatic state of mind studying up the proper etiquette for receiving the kaiser's brother.

Open winter prophets are still frozen up.

It would be a very mean butler who would rob Helen Gould.

The Virginia constitutional convention seems to have discovered perpetual motion.

Gov. Stone's respite of Milton Sheets carried no postscript.

In 1777 congress authorized a monument to Gen. Hugh Mercer, and the other day a bill appropriating the money was introduced into the house. What a rush congress gets into sometimes.

Perhaps that letter from Prince Henry to Admiral Dewey explains that Admiral Diederichs was the only real friend the Americans had in Manila bay on a certain May day.

The man who wrote "What's the Matter with Kansas?" is ill, but perhaps the doctors can tell him what is the matter with him.

Just Like Edward.

Miss Elder was exceedingly effusive when she met Miss Shadyside on the afternoon of St. Valentine's day. Miss Shadyside greeted her kindly, although she is not fond of her, for she thinks that Miss Elder is engaged in an unladylike chase after her brother.

"O, what do you think!" exclaimed Miss Elder.

"What is it?" asked Miss Shadyside, with a fine imitation of interest.

"Your brother Edward sent me the loveliest valentine," she confided, in a whisper.

"Did he?" replied Miss Shadyside. "Now that's just like the considerate boy."

"Considerate?" repeated Miss Elder, doubtful of the meaning to be attached to the word.

"Yes, that's just like Edward's kindness. He'd be pretty likely to send a valentine to any girl he was sure would not receive one otherwise."

Then they parted.

The Latest Joke Book.

Percy Digby, law librarian, met Judge John D. Shafer coming out of the library with a book in his hand.

"Judge, have you one of my law books?" the librarian asked.

"One of your law books?" repeated the judge. "No, this is not a law book. This is a joke book. It is the result of the efforts of the Pennsylvania legislature at lawmaking for the session of 1901."

Their Opinion.

"Although the sentiment in the Danish West Indian islands is mostly in favor of annexation to the United States," remarked Mr. Braddock, "it appears that an influential club in the island of St. Thomas is opposed to it, and went so far as to send a protest to Copenhagen."

"The protest was unheeded, I believe," added Mr. Brinton.

"Yes, and now the objectors think there must be something rotten in Denmark."

She's All Right.

"I understood that Miss Roosevelt will have no official status at King Edward's coronation, although invited by the American special ambassador," said Mr. Northside.

"Perhaps not, but she'll have an elegant time and her clothes will be worth looking at," added Mrs. Northside.

Her Disbelief.

"I don't believe that there is such a thing as a Fool Killer in the world," declared Mrs. Muggins, in the course of a family debate which had become somewhat acrimonious.

"The remark is rather irrelevant to the matter in hand," rejoined Mr. Muggins. "Still, I'd like to know the grounds for your disbelief."

"Would you? Well, Charles Augustus Muggins, if there were such a thing as a Fool Killer, you would never have lived to be 35 years old."

POINT BREEZE.

Vote early and avoid the rush.

MAN'S BODY WAS THE THEME OF A FINE SERMON

The Rev. Dr. Edward H. Ward Says It Is Worthy of a Devine Occupant.

THE EVIL SPIRITS OF MEN

Minister Told of the Struggles Between Wrong and Right, and of the Empty Soul Between Visits of the Opposing Forces.

The Rev. E. H. Ward, D. D., preached an instructive and eloquent sermon yesterday morning in St. Peter's Protestant Episcopal church. His subject was "The Empty House," the text: "When the evil spirit is gone out of a man he walketh through dry places seeking rest, and finding none, he saith, I will return unto my house whence I came out. And when he cometh he findeth it empty, swept and garnished." Luke xi., 23-26. Dr. Ward said:

"Man is this house, and what a magnificent house it is! There are five senses, or windows, which let in light from the outer world, and in one of these, the eye, there are more than 800 adaptations. The ear is but little less complicated, and in both these organs the nicest adjustment of every adaptation is necessary for the perfect working of the organ. No wonder the Psalmist should say, 'We are fearfully and wonderfully made.' And how admirable, too, the mind which dwells in the body. There is the reason, memory, imagination and conscience.

Worthy a Divine Occupant.

"We may say with profounder reason than Shakespeare knew, 'What a piece of work is man.' Surely this is a house worthy of a divine occupant and we wonder not that the apostle should say, 'Know ye not that ye are the temple of God and that the Spirit of God dwelleth in you?'

"Now, in the parable this house is empty. The sign 'To let' is upon it. Here we must remember that in one particular the analogy between the man and the house fails. The house has no choice as to its occupant, but man chooses his guest. By virtue of his freedom he can say to God, 'I will' or 'I will not.' God himself cannot coerce a human will. This is the glorious, or awful, gift of freedom.

"Nor can satan enter a soul unless the soul itself grant permission. He may knock long and loud at every portal, but cannot gain admittance unless the soul itself appear at the door. Now, in the parable satan has been an inmate of the house. He was familiar with the house. But he had been expelled and there had been a general house cleaning.

Satan Enters the House.

"But still the house is empty and the latch key hangs outside the door. Satan sees this, and, going back, takes down the key, unlocks the door, and, with other wicked spirits, walks in. Now, let us interpret this in relation to human life. A man is under the dominion of evil habits and is the slave of his appetites and lusts. Under the influence of some strong emotion he breaks away. Aroused by the eloquence of some temperance orator he expels the demon of drink.

"A man of impure habits stands by the side of some loved one and the strong emotion of grief banishes the demon of lust. The soul is swept clean of the filth of evil habits; its walls are decorated; its ceiling is frescoed with lofty hopes and aspirations.

"Still the house is empty. The wicked spirit is gone, but the good spirit has not come to dwell.

"Now, a soul cannot remain empty. In the moral world neutrality is impossible. If a soul is not governed by the spirt of good, then it is dominated by the spirit of evil. An empty house is always in danger.

Belief of Real Faith.

"Let us see how this principle applies in the realm of faith. Real faith is positive, doubt negative. A man of faith, in the common acceptance of the term, is one who believes in the verbal inspiration of the scriptures; who believes in all the miracles recorded in these writings; who believes the first chapter of Genesis to be a literal record of the creation and fall of man; who believes that terminates man's probation.

"Now, a man may profess belief in these and yet not be one whit the better; he may disbelieve them and be none the worse. This is not faith. Faith is not a profession of belief in anything, it is the attitude of a soul to God. So, then, if you are in earnest, do not seek faith, but seek God. Cry to him like a child who has lost its father. He will hear and answer.

"When you realize His presence and feel His influence, when, like Jacob, you can say: 'Lo! God is in this place and I knew it not,' then you have the only faith that is worth a straw. When you have found Jesus Christ you have found all, for, as Robert Browning says: 'The acknowledgment of God in Christ accepted by the reason solves for thee all questions in the earth and out of it.'

What Religion Is.

"The greatest living scholar has recently told us that, in the last analysis, religion is the relation between God and the soul, the soul and God. Let us see how this principle applies in the realm of conduct. The man out of whom the evil spirit has been expelled was trying to lead a respectable life. He was a type of the character not yet extinct.

"There are many Christians whose religion is a series of prohibitions. A Christian must not lie, must not steal, must not do this or that. In the realm of faith he was fettered by creeds; now, in the region of conduct, he is hemmed in on all sides—by the hedge of commandments.

"This is a religion of negation. It is the empty house out of which the evil spirit has gone, but into which the good spirit has not entered. The man finds no joy in his religious life. The empty soul, then, cries out: 'Why deny myself and keep back the rich, warm blood of life in order to become a petrified transcript of the ten commandments?' And so the soul, in a moment of wild passion, admits the demon of lust or intemperance, and the last state of that man is worse than the first.

Social Whirl Invites Evil.

"Oh, the vanities, the emptiness of our social life! As wealth increases the number of men and women who have nothing to do also increases. We have thousands of men whose chief occupation is the club room, and women whose chief aim is pleasure, amusement and excitement. The hands are idle and the heart is empty, and enjoyment is found in the giddy whirl of fashion or at the playhouse. Into such lives the evil spirit finds easy entrance.

"Hence the horrors of the divorce courts. Nature abhors a vacuum and so does a human soul. The only safety, then, is found in making Christ the abiding guest. So long as His presence irradiates the soul the evil spirit can find no corner.

"When a soul is filled with the love of God, a consciousness of his presence, it looses sight of all commandments, all thought of prohibition. To do the will of God becomes its meat and drink. Desire and passion may clamor for gratification, the evil spirit may knock at the door, but the soul heeds them not. Its eye is fixed on the things unseen and eternal."

THE REV. DR. EDWARD H. WARD, Rector of St. Peter's Protestant Episcopal Church

An X mark in the Citizens party circle is a vote for popular self-government.

A PERSONAL CREED.

The Rev. G. E. Hawes Says That No Religious Beliefs Are Well Grounded Without Christ.

Yesterday morning, in the Braddock United Presbyterian church, the Rev. G. E. Hawes, the pastor, preached the second sermon in a course on "Spiritual Giants." His subject was "Personal Creed." Mr. Hawes said:

"It isn't that we do not have creeds already at hand that we speak upon the necessity of one forming his own creed. There are creeds in abundance, and it is expected that when one joins himself with a church he accepts in so far as he understands them the tenets of the faith to which he is joined.

"But one will not be strong in any faith until he has worked out for himself a system of belief which he can call his own. It isn't improbable that as he works along he will find that the ancients have stolen his thoughts and expressed them in better language than he uses. He will take his armor, then, from the store house of divine truth, and go forth to do exploits; but until he has done that he may be said to be without definite opinions of truth."

Put an X mark in the circle of the Citizens party and give the postscript alliance its finish.

STARTING THE MILLS.

Idle Workmen in Germany Are Finding Employment as Trade Improves.

BERLIN, Feb. 16.—The financial report of the boerse for the last week is characterized by great strength in most of the departments. The announcement of the Anglo-Japanese treaty had a favorable effect, particularly on Chinese loans, which were heavily bought on rising prices. German and Prussian 3 percents weakened earlier in the week and the holders of these securities found it more profitable to sell them and invest in foreign rentes. Later, however, 3 percents advanced under heavy transactions. Iron shares were very strong upon the American market report and the continued improvement in the German situation, some iron shares rising 8 or 10 points. All the German rolling mills agreed Friday to again advance the price of bars 5 marks per ton. Herr Krupp and others have received an order for 10,000 tons of steel rails for Mexico. Many iron concerns have resumed normal working hours.

The coal market remains highly unsatisfactory. Nevertheless coal shares were carried upward with irons. Other industrials were strong, especially the shares of cement, textile and real estate concerns. American railroad shares were neglected with the exception of Canadians, which were considerably bought, while domestic railroads scored good advances.

The money market, in spite of the payment of the new German and Prussian loans, was easier during the week than previous to this payment. It was almost impossible to place money at even 1½ per cent on call, trade and industry making slight demands therefor. The tendency is to put money into foreign exchange which is accordingly firmer. The Bavarian loan of 86,000,000 marks at 3½ per cent was over-subscribed 58 times. The highest bid for the municipal loan of Hamburg of 55,000,000 marks at 3 per cent was 89.61 by the Norddeutsche bank group.

Vote against the Stone-Flinn ticket and bond issues to lie in the banks.

DAUGHTERS CONVENE TODAY

Fifteen Amendments to Constitution and Three to By-Laws to Be Acted On.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 16.—The 11th continental congress of the Daughters of the American Revolution will begin here tomorrow and will continue throughout the week. The attendance promises to be very large, there being over 800 accredited delegates.

A number of important matters are to come up for consideration. One of the important questions is how the large representation in the congress may be advantageously reduced. Fifteen amendments to the constitution and three to the by-laws are to be discussed, and an editor and business manager for the magazine are to be elected.

Since the last congress 3,680 women have been admitted, making the total membership of the society nearly 40,000. The president general, Mrs. Cornelia Cole Fairbanks, wife of Senator Fairbanks of Indiana, will preside.

Vote for the Citizens' ticket and street pavements that will last.

SPEAKEASIES RAIDED.

Police Were Active and Arrested Fifty-Nine People Yesterday.

Police Inspector Fred Will and Lieut. Garrett Crossan raided several speakeasies yesterday afternoon and as a result 57 people were arrested. The greater number were found in a place known as the Modoc club, No. 1727 Fifth avenue, directly across the street from the high school building. Teachers there are said to be cognizant of the existence of the place and members of the central board recently asked the police to close it up. Superintendent of Police John McAleese directed the officers yesterday to inquire into the doings there, and when they arrived the place was full. Men were sitting around drinking and playing cards, and Leslie Rodgers was behind a bar fitted with beer pumps and other appliances just like a saloon. Several barrels and kegs of beer were in the cellar. Twenty-nine men were hauled out of the place and locked up in No. 2 station. Rodgers was charged with being the proprietor.

The next raid was made at No. 527 Wylie avenue, where 16 people were found. Margaret Burke was locked up in Central police station as the keeper of the place. The visitors there were all men. At the house of Margaret Jaint, at No. 7 Dante alley, they found eight visitors, and at that of Mary Lane, in the rear of No. 3 Dante alley, they found two visitors, and at each place a good stock of liquor.

What Is Salva-cea?

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SUFFRAGISTS FIND CHAMPIONS AMONG THE MEN

Eloquent Orators Enter the Lists in Favor of Woman's Right to Vote.

QUOTE THE CONSTITUTION

Government Should Have the Use of the Brains and Intelligence of the Whole People, Women Included, Question of Physical Qualification.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 16.—At Friday evening's session of the National Woman's Suffrage convention, which is being held here, three strong speeches in favor of the claims of the association were made.

Oswald G. Villard of New York, in his address, said, among other things, that Mayor Seth Low of New York said that "the woman's movement was one of the strongest factors in convincing the people of the merit of the platform on which I stand," referring to the municipal campaign of New York of 1901.

John S. Crosby of New York, in a most eloquent address, quoted the Declaration of Independence and Constitution of the United States: "Whereas all men are created free and equal * * * to secure these rights," etc.

Functions of Government.

"We ask," said Mr. Crosby, "as one of the rights that government is bound to secure, that in the administration of its power it shall make use of the fullest wisdom of the whole people and that the entire popular brain and social conscience shall take cognizance of and be responsible for all acts of government. Not until then shall we have seen true democracy; not until then shall we indeed have a government of the people, by the people and for the people.

"Men differ from women," said Mr. Crosby, "as they also do from each other, in natural powers and abilities, both mental and physical, but there is no difference in the natural rights of men or of men and women. The ballot is one of those natural rights, to secure which governments are instituted among men, deriving their just powers from the consent of the governed.

The Question of Strength.

"There can be no person of sufficient intelligence to entitle his opinion to any respect whatever, who will deny that as a matter of abstract justice, woman has as much right to the ballot as man.

"It is sometimes argued that women should not vote, for the reason that she has not the physical ability often necessary to enforce the right if she had it, or in other words, because she cannot bear arms or go to war. For that very reason she ought to have a voice in the making of laws whose injustice, if any, she is especially powerless to resist."

In an equally strong and eloquent speech W. D. Foulke of Indiana, now a civil service commissioner in Washington, said, among other things:

"Some men argue that it is right, but not needful, for women to vote, for the reason that the women have no separate interests. This is not true. Women have the right to make laws to protect their sons and daughters from the enticements of saloons and brothels.

Bulwark of Liberty.

"Suffrage is the only secure bulwark of our liberty. That men shall say to women that they will be fair with them may be a part of the morality of chivalry, but it is not a part of the mortality of justice."

In an address made in the afternoon by Frank G. Cannon, formerly a member of the house of representatives from Utah, he said, among other things:

"We have found in our own state that women either uplift or destroy the politician. I want to live to see the time when men all over the country will escort their sisters, mothers, daughters and wives to the polls." And he said further that as large a percentage of women actually exercise the right of suffrage in Utah as of men.

Put an X mark in the circle of the Citizens party. The postscript bulldozers can't find it out.

LINCOLN'S SHIP NOW ENGLISH

Commodore Vanderbilt's Million Dollar Gift to the President Now Flies the Union Jack.

PHILADELPHIA, PA., Feb. 16.—(Special.)—The steamship Hibernian, once famous as an ocean greyhound, and the State of Nebraska of the Allan line, the former the pioneer ship of the present service between Philadelphia and Glasgow, are to be broken up for junk. Now the news comes that a similar fate awaits the steamships Canadian and Phoenician, well known in the Philadelphia ports.

Despite the age of these four craft they have maintained a state of perfect preservation as staunch as any of the modern lines. But it has been found impossible to run them any longer at a profit in competition with the modern ships of large carrying capacity.

The State of Nebraska sailed from the Clyde several days ago for Hamburg to be torn apart for the material in her.

The famous old steamship Vanderbilt, which was once the personal property of President Lincoln, was sold some time ago for a coal hulk at Malta and her name was changed to the Three Brothers. The purchasers took out her machinery, which they disposed of for more than they paid for the entire vessel, and made a sailing ship of her. She was loaded with grain at San Francisco and none could keep pace with her on her runs to Europe. She is now the property of the British government and thus Commodore Vanderbilt's million dollar gift to President Lincoln is ending her career under the Union Jack.

Use only the Citizens' ticket for voting purposes.

BURIED BY SNOWSLIDES.

Four Men Lose Their Lives in That Manner at Smith Gulch and Buffalo Hump.

LEWISTON, IDAHO, Feb. 16.—A miner just arrived from Warren, brings news of the death of three men who were caught, Saturday, in a snowslide near the head of Smith gulch on the route to Thunder Mountain. The victims were Bert Tules, J. S. Campbell and B. M. Skyles of Weiser, Idaho. Arid Williams of Wetson and A. Myers of Boise were the other members of the party, but they escaped death.

From Buffalo Hump comes the news that Ben Hamilton lost his life in a snowslide last Wednesday. Hamilton was caught in an avalanche of snow about a mile wide. His body has not been recovered.

THEIR STORIES DIFFER.

Estelle Swann May Die from Injuries Said to Have Been Caused by W. D. Barnes.

ROME, GA., Feb. 16.—Estelle Swann, the young white woman found in a burning cabin near Rome yesterday is in the hospital here, with injuries which it is thought will prove fatal.

W. D. Barnes, who claims to be the husband of the woman, is in jail charged with attempting to murder her and afterward to burn her body. He says the woman's clothing caught fire in the grate. Miss Swann declares Barnes is not her husband.

CAPTIVE'S MOTHER HEARS GOOD NEWS

FAMILY OF BRIGANDS' PRISONER WERE SCEPTICAL AT FIRST.

Aged Mother of Miss Ellen Stone Has Borne Up Well Under the Distressing Suspense Attending Her Daughter's Captivity in Bulgaria.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

BOSTON, MASS., Feb. 16.—"I want my daughter to come home, so that I can see her once more with my own eyes," says Mrs. Lucy Stone, the aged monther of Miss Ellen Stone.

Now 90 years of age, her love for her daughter is as strong today as when the prisoner of the brigands was but a child.

"You cannot realize," said Mrs. Edwin Stone, a sister-in-law of Miss Stone, "the extreme anxiety, the heart yearnings, the grief and despair through which we have passed during the last few months. Our hopes have been raised time and time again, only to have them cruelly dashed away, nothing remaining but the same old fear and despair as to her ultimate and safe release."

The family would like to have her retire from missionary work now. "Nellie has done enough now," said one last night, "and she has earned a rest. If she does as we wish, she will come home and let others do the work she has been doing for years."

Mother Bears Up Well.

Miss Stone's aged mother retains all her faculties, with a brain as alert and active as that of many women many years her junior. Every report regarding the condition, expectations and hopes of her captive daughter has been carefully read and calmly discussed. With quiet fortitude and remarkable calmness she has borne up under the terrible strain to which she has been subjected for the past few months in a way that has been a marvel to her many friends and acquaintances. Never for a moment has she lost faith that her daughter would eventually be restored to her.

The good news brought to her yesterday, while expected, for a few moments quite unnerved her, but she soon collected herself and joined in the general congratulations of the family.

Stone Family Skeptical.

Since the death of her husband, Benjamin Stone, some years ago, she has resided in Chelsea with her son, Edwin Stone. She has four sons, all in business in Boston, and one daughter, who has been placed in such a perilous situation that the eyes of the whole civilized world have been turned toward her in sympathy and hope.

When the relatives of Miss Stone were informed by a Gazette reporter last evening of the payment to the Bulgarian brigands of the ransom for release and that she was undoubtedly on her way to the coast with the relief escort, they were very skeptical as to the truth of the report. But when told that it had been officially confirmed by the state department at Washington they expressed the hope that this report, authentic as it appeared to be, would finally prove true. Miss Stone's friends expect her immediate return to America, as soon as she reaches the coast, as they believe that any delay would endanger her life.

"She knows too much now regarding the internal workings of the Bulgarian and Turkish governments," said her brother, "to make it safe for her to remain long in either of those countries."

Vote for home rule by supporting the Citizens ticket.

MRS. SOFFEL ABLE TO ENJOY THE LANDSCAPE

Now Attended by Only One Physician and Her Removal to Pittsburgh Is Expected This Week.

By GIBBONS MARSH,
Staff Correspondent.

BUTLER, PA., Feb. 16.—Mrs. Soffel converted her room into an observation tower today and spent most of her time scanning the streets of the county seat and its hilly surroundings. This morning she asked the nurses if they would move her bed to the center of her room so that she could see the streets and the people. Her request was granted and she gazed at the snow-covered city and hills with great interest and pleasure. Mrs. Soffel pointed out the larger buildings in the city and asked what kind of establishments they were. She also manifested great interest in the railroads running just in front of the hospital.

Mrs. Soffel inquired about the oil fields of Butler county. She asked about their depths and the production. All these places can easily be seen from the high location of the hospital.

She chatted freely with the nurses and frequently referred to her improvement and expressed a desire for a rapid recovery. During the day she made no reference to her case. She presents a marked improvement in her appearance. Her former depressed and dejected presence is now supplanted by a cheerful but resigned appearance.

Most of her time is spent in the perusal of magazines and weeklies. Her attorneys keep her supplied with all the periodicals of the day. She received another supply from them Saturday. No visitors are now allowed to see her except her immediate relatives. They are permitted to see her in the presence of a nurse.

Two of the attending physicians have now withdrawn from Mrs. Soffel's case. Her removal to Pittsburgh is expected this week.

Vote for reform and rebuke the ringsters.

WRECK KILLS FOUR.

Iowa Central Engineer Makes Serious Mistake Which Costs Him His Life.

MARSHALLTOWN, IA., Feb. 16.—Four lives were lost in a head-on collision on the Iowa Central railroad, one mile north of Gifford, early this morning, when a light engine, northbound, crashed into a passenger train.

The Dead.

WALLACE FREW, Keithsburg, Ill., engineer of light engine; head crushed; killed instantly; buried under his engine. The body was recovered and brought here.

JOHN WHITE, Oskaloosa, engineer of the passenger train; left leg crushed and foot severed; both arms broken. Taken to a hospital at Eldora, where he died later.

FRANK PATTON, Marshalltown, fireman of light engine; skull crushed; died instantly; body brought here.

ELMER OGLE, Marshalltown, fireman of passenger engine; driven against boiler head; badly crushed, died instantly; remains brought here.

Lawrence A. J. Egan of Chicago, a traveling salesman, was badly bruised about the hips. Several other passengers were slightly injured.

The wreck evidently was caused by Engineer Frew being mistaken as to the time or failing to remember the existence of the passenger train which he should have passed at Gifford.

Vote for the Citizens' ticket and fair competition on public contracts.

FLORENCE KEEPS COOL.

Girl Accused of [illegible] Refuses to Make a Statement.

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—Florence Burns, the young woman who was arrested and locked up on suspicion that she knew something of the death of Walter S. Brooks, the young commission merchant, was arraigned in the Centre street court today and remanded to the Tombs for a further investigation.

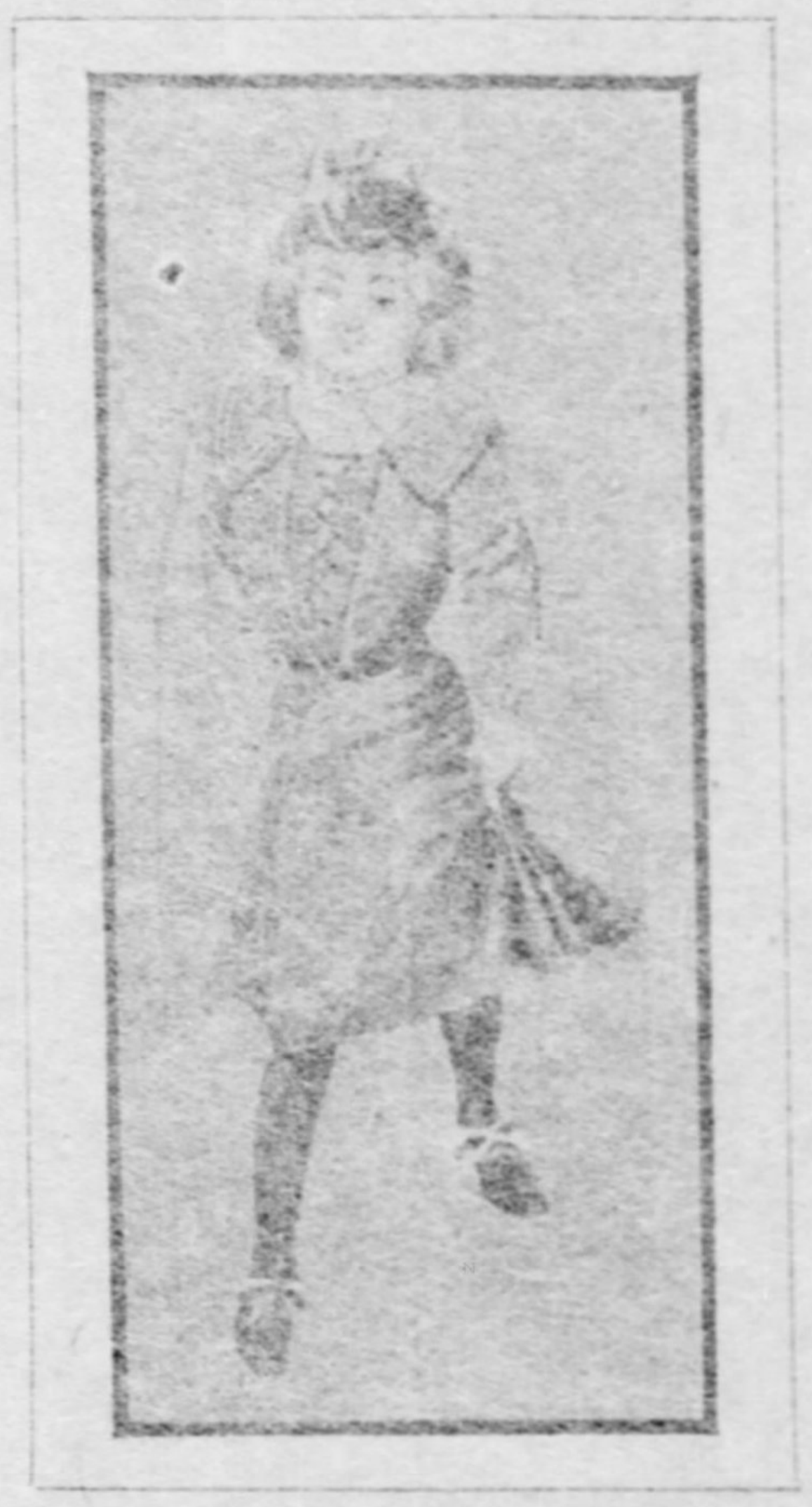
The young woman, who is 19 years of age, has since her arrest maintained a remarkably cool demeanor and refuses to talk of the case.

HINTS FOR THE HOME

MONDAY, February 17, 1902.

"Smiles are of love the food." —MILTON.

CHILD'S FROCKS



A Pretty School Frock of Brown Serge, Made in the Popular Guimpe Fashion, With Red Underwaist, Is Here Shown.

PRISCILLA'S PENCIL

Went wandering among the valentines yesterday and found that five-pound boxes of candy tied daintily about with rose pink ribbon were the favorite valentines this year. If there is not an aching "sweet tooth" or two, and, perhaps an extra spot or two on somebody's complexion tomorrow, it will not be the fault of St. Valentine's devotees. They certainly did their duty. A unique valentine idea was carried out by a group of girls who are rather more intimate than the debutante circle usually admit. Being schoolmates, they knew each other's tastes pretty well, and on the afternoon of St. Valentine's day they organized a little tea for a shower of ——garters! Not supporters or patent affairs, but the old-fashioned frilled garters with silver buckles, satin bows and all the frivolity which the heart of maidenhood delights in. One pair was of heliotrope satin, frilled over violet elastic and caught in the midst of its fluffy rosette with a lovely pansy buckle. Another pair was rose delicate silk, shirred over the pink foundation and knotted by pink satin baby ribbon on each side of little round gold roses. A green pair was designed for the aesthetic one of the party and was of green silk lisse, scattered with miniature water lillies. This, when frilled in conventional fashion made a lovely background for the little siren heads, set in old silver which served as buckles. On each buckle was engraved a valentine sentiment, suitable to the doner and to the occasion.

For Baby's Sake—

A house which has been divided against itself was reunited last week. The baby in question is the two years old heir of a young couple who ran away and were married, thereby offending the parents of the groom, who told the old story of better views for their son than the winsom trained nurse who won his heart by her gentle ways during his brief sojourn in invalid land. The couple were not forgiven and the young husband securing a position in the bank of a friend of his father has supported his wife and boy independently of the fortune which his father had held over his head. But a few weeks ago grandmamma was attracted to a smiling baby who was toddling in a street car, and after talking to him and saying that he reminded her of her own son, she asked his name. He could just lisp it, and after the lisping was interpreted by his nurse it all came out—and there was a reconciliation put on foot by the tugging at grandmother's heart strings on seeing two brown eyes like those which had awakened her motherhood thirty years ago.

For the Cage d'amour—

A thick ring is now the thing. It may be of gold or silver or bronze, but it must be as thick as a young rope, and it must have tender sentiments engraved inside in old English letters. If such a ring can be found anywhere among the family heirlooms, so much the better, as the older they are the dearer.

HOUSEKEEPER'S NOTEBOOK.

Coats of arms are gaining in popularity every year, and some persons of wealth have had their heraldic escutcheons on specially manufactured fabrics for draperies and furniture coverings.

The newest lace bed coverings are made in sizes to fit the many different widths now seen in beds. They are as appropriately designed for the narrowest as for the widest, and Dutch, English and French decorations adapt them to any period chosen for the general furnishing of the room.

Tudor silk has taken the place of Liberty for draperies in rooms that need lightweight but brilliant coloring. Cluny brocades, with cotton warp and silk filling, copied after antiques, are charming for upholstering. They are made in a variety of color effects, and the highly conventionalized designs are extremely quaint.

Every one cannot find old leather for her dining room chairs, yet every one knows that old leather is infinitely more beautiful than new. The difficulty has been met by enterprising Americans, who now produce the appearance of age by artificial means. Russia leather, too, is so closely imitated that only an expert could detect the difference. Even the peculiar odor is attained by the use of oil of birch.

CURRENT MODES.

The up-to-date girl's hosiery supply represents all the hues of the rainbow, and is no small item in her expenses. Some of her daintiest hose are of black silk embroidered with flowers in natural colors, perhaps tiny yellow or pink roses climbing up the instep, starry edelweiss or sprays of lilies of the valley caught with bowknots. This decoration is usually confined to the instep and is of small pattern. Slate grays are shown in winter hosiery and royal blue is one of the leading colors, either plain or with pin dots or hair stripes of white. Most of the stripes run lengthwise on the hose and are very fine. A few are seen, however, with stripes going around the leg, black and white and heliotrope and black being some of the combinations.

Lace hose in shades of red continue to hold their own. Lace applique is seen on some of the smartest hose. Narrow insertions of black lace on the instep of a black silk stocking are bordered by embroidery of tiny rosebuds, while a second black stocking has a lace applique edged with forget-me-nots. While silk hose are made sumptuous with point or duchess lace applique and white silk embroidery and even spangles and beading are seen on some of the Paris hosiery.

The slippers to be worn with these hose are correspondingly elaborate and costly. Slippers of white or black velvet embroidered all over in gold beads are very fashionable, also pink and blue satin done in red beads. Large rosettes of spangled crepe de chine give a coquettish touch to satin slippers. A large bow of tan ribbon adorns a neat slipper of tan suede, while a gray kid bears a buckle of mother-of-pearl. The fancy for black and white combinations appears in a white kid slipper adorned with a large rosette of black edged with ribbon and in a low shoe having uppers of narrow stripes of black and white kid.

Large sizes are being made in hosiery for women as the American women are developing larger frames and bigger feet. Ten is the largest size to be found as a rule, though here and there a 10½ can be found. A 9 stocking is usually worn with a 5 and a 5½ boot; 9½ with 6 and 6½, and 10 with 7, 7½ and 8.

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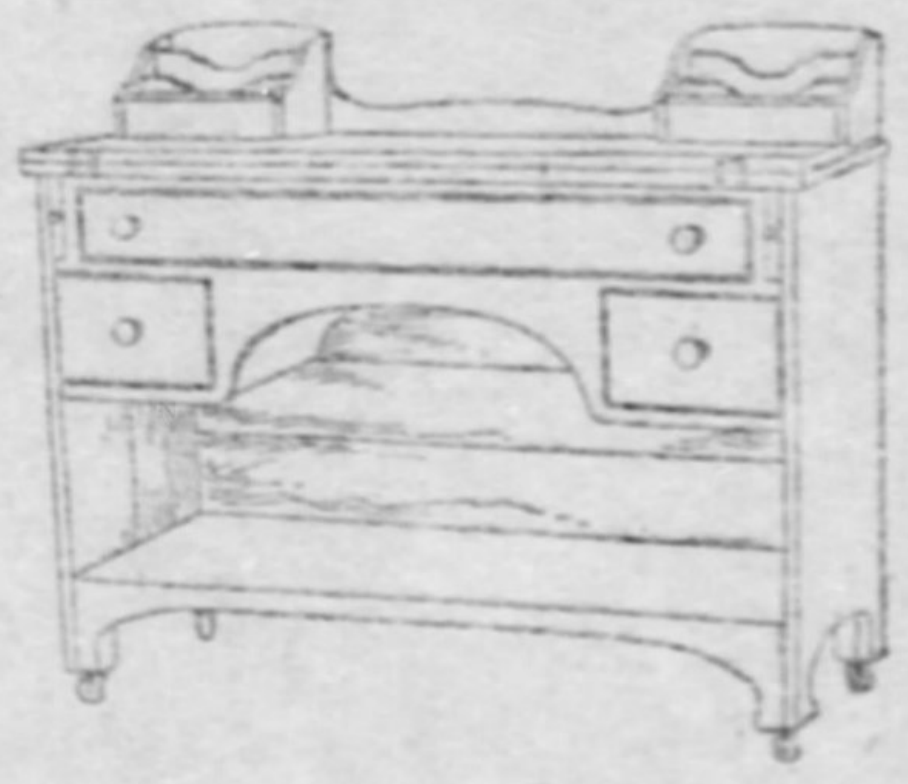

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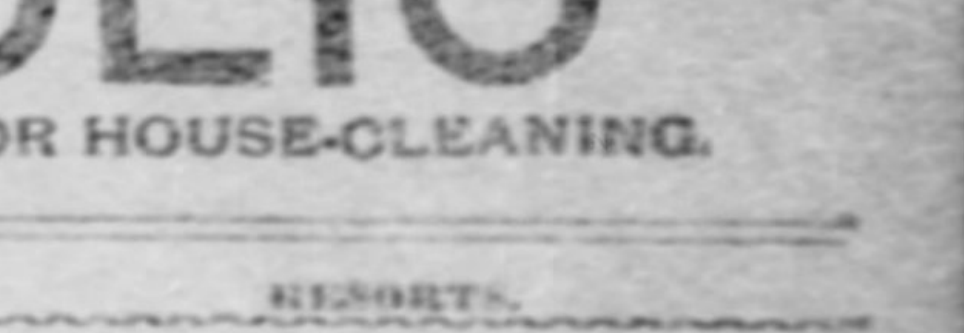

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PITTSBURGH

Terry McGovern Gets a New Sparring Partner

NEW SPARRING PARTNER TRIED BY M'GOVERN

Kid Ashe, a Cincinnati Colored Pugilist, Went on for Three Rounds.

MADE A GOOD SHOWING

Dusky Lad Will Be Retained for Remainder of Training—Terry Says He Is in Great Shape, but Will Be in Better by Saturday.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

CINCINNATI, O., Feb. 16.—This was anything but a quiet Sunday at McGovern's training quarters. Last Sunday Terry did practically nothing but take a walk and attend church. Today he attended church, as has always been his custom, but he and his trainers went through their regular training stunts from beginning to end and Terry worked like a beaver.

The little fellow took up road work, a whirl at boxing, bag punching, dumb bell and medicine ball exercises in their turn today.

Fully 500 people journeyed to Norwood fun this afternoon to see him work. The work was done in the big gymnasium in order to accommodate the crowd and Terry's every movement was intently watched.

He is now several pounds below the weight at which he is to enter the ring. This, however, will make no difference with Terry, as he will continue to work hard in the gymnasium this week until his departure for the ring. His work on the road will, however, stop tomorrow.

Kid Ashe, the colored local pugilist, was out today and went on with McGovern for three rounds. The bout was very much on the wrestling order, and as Ashe is a very strong boy he made probably the best showing of any that have gone up against the Brooklyn boy while he has been here.

Ashe, after the bout, said he was thoroughly convinced that Terry was in fine condition. The colored boy will probably continue to go on with Terry for the remainder of his stay in this city, as his sparring partner for the past week, Henneke, is pretty badly worn out and it seems as though he is afraid to hit hard for fear Terry will return with a good, hard punch.

Terry said today:

"I'm not working this hard for nothing. When we enter the ring Saturday there's going to be some doings, and I'll be in on the 'doings.' I'm in great shape at present and will be better by Saturday."

His appearance certainly bears out this statement. He looks fit to fight the fight of his life.

Manager Gray of the Louisville club was expected here today, but failed to put in an appearance. Manager Harris will probably go to Louisville on Thursday in order to fix up the finishing touches for the fight on Saturday night.

Vote against the Stone-Flinn ticket and the manipulation of contracts for the favored few.

COPY OF ARTICLES SIGNED BY FIGHTERS

Purse Will Be Divided and Moving Picture Privileges Will Become Property of Winner.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—The following is a copy of the articles signed yesterday by James J. Jeffries and Robert Fitzsimmons for the heavy-weight championship of the world before the club offering the best inducements, on or about May 15:

First. That the contest shall be of 20 rounds' duration.

Second. That gloves weighing five ounces each shall be used.

Third. That the contest be conducted under the Marquis of Queensbury rules.

Fourth. That the contest shall take place at the club offering the best inducements, bids to be opened March 15, 12 m.

Fifth. That the purse will be divided—60 per cent to the winner and 40 per cent to the loser.

Sixth. That the moving picture privilege shall become the entire and absolute property of the winner of said contest.

Seventh. That the referee for said contest shall be selected on the day the bids for the contest are opened and accepted.

Eighth. That the contestants be permitted the use of soft surgical bandages, subject to the inspection of the referee.

Ninth. That the battle shall take place on or about May 15.

Tenth. That neither party to this agreement shall engage in a ring contest, with the exception of sparring exhibitions in connection with theatrical engagements, prior to the date selected for said contest.

Eleventh. That forfeits of $2,500 a side shall be posted by the parties to this agreement when the club bid is accepted.

Twelfth. That each contestant shall furnish his own gloves, subject to the inspection of the referee.

Vote for the Citizens' ticket and fair competition on public contracts.

RULES MAY BE CHANGED.

Articles Concerning Pole Vault and High Jump in Intercollegiate Games to Be Amended.

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—The annual meeting of the Intercollegiate Association of Amateur Athletes of America will be held here next Saturday. A number of important changes in the constitution will be acted upon.

The article concerning high jumps and pole vault will be amended in such a way as to guard against such unsatisfactory performances as those of last year, when the five best men jumped only just high enough on Friday to qualify for the Saturday trials, intending to leave competition until that time. The new amendment provides that as regards the pole vault and the high jump, "the contest shall be alone decided by the performance of Saturday." Last year's winner won on his jump of Friday.

Another change will be made in the method of selecting officials. The referee will be selected not later than April 1, and will name at least two officials for each position necessary for the proper conduct of the annual field meeting and from such nominations the executive committee will, before May 1, select officials for the games.

The starter for the games will be a professional. A very important alteration will also be made in the by-laws, allowing the executive committee to decide the different positions of each college in each track event.

Now is the time to regenerate Pittsburgh.

Basketball Notes.

The Hilldales would like to hear from all 8 or 9-year-old teams. Address H. Blum, 540 Ohio street, Allegheny.

The Manchester Jr. and Central Turner basketball teams will play tonight at Manchester Turner hall. An interesting preliminary will be played by the Manchester third team and the St. Aloysius Jrs.

The Panther A. C. will have a new line up on the floor for the remainder of the season. The new players are: Shields, Mayer, Nicola, Keffer and Hahn. All 14 and 15-year-old teams wanting games should address Tony Mascena, 203 Morgan st., Allegheny.

The playing of the Manchester third team is fully appreciated by the enthusiasts of lower Allegheny as that of the Junior league team. Their goal shooting is a matter of much surprise to the rooters, as they are very efficient in this branch of the game.

Group of W. U. P. Fencers.

HIGH SCHOOL WILL PLAY KISKI TEAM

TWO BASKETBALL GAMES ARRANGED BETWEEN SCHOOLS.

One Will Be Played at Saltsburg Next Friday and the Other in Pittsburgh Next Month — Interscholastic Field Meet Discussed.

The Pittsburgh high school basketball team has arranged two games with Kiskiminetas. The first will be played at Saltsburgh next Friday and the return game will be played in Pittsburgh next month. High school expressly stipulated that Nickel, the star player of the interscholastic league take part in the contests, though Kiski was more than willing to have him out of it.

The Allegheny Preparatory school hopes to have the school basketball contest scheduled for next Friday with Shadyside transferred to Thursday, on account of Washington's birthday being a holiday at the school. Shadyside, however, has a game on Tuesday with high school and one on Wednesday with East Liberty academy. The latter team has no hall to play its games in at present, and has suffered for want of practice.

The game to have been played on Tuesday of this week between high school and East Liberty academy was postponed on this account.

When the Kiski basketball games were arranged a conference in reference to the holding of the annual interscholastic field meet for Western Pennsylvania at Schenley park this spring instead of at Washington, as in years past, was discussed. No objection has been raised by the Washington preps and the meet here is practically assured, though some want it held on Decoration day, while others think Saturday, May 31, would be better on account of counter holiday attractions.

Indiana Normal school is very anxious to be included in the meet as in years past, but there are strenuous objections raised by Kiski and other schools. The preparatory schools claim that there are Indiana students with beards on their faces who are entirely too strong for some of the smaller boys attending local schools. Kiski, Shadyside Washington preparatory, East Liberty academy, Allegheny high school, Pittsburgh high school and Park institute are the possible entries in the meet at present.

Express your disapproval of extravagance and inefficiency by voting against the machine.

TEN GIRL ATHLETES STRANDED IN NEW HAVEN

The Members of Female Basketball Teams Helped Back to New York by Connecticut Church Women.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW HAVEN, CONN., Feb. 16.—Ten young women, ranging in age from 18 to 19 years of age, advertised as the New York and Brooklyn School Girls Basketball teams, the Cadets and the Highlands, were stranded here today after two weeks on the road.

Frank W. Hartright of 45 West 20th street, New York, the manager, an elderly man, was at his wits end, partly because his inability to keep the young women first in one hotel and then another, and because of his helpless financial state.

He appealed to a policeman to scare the girls tonight in order to keep them indoors. The officer declined to interfere and the girls were more independent than before. They said they were not afraid of becoming worse situated than their present state.

Followed by a crowd the basketball company walked under escort to the police to a stage shortly before 10 o'clock and were conveyed to the steamboat dock. Several gallant young men carried their personal baggage.

The youth of several of the girls, some of whom wore misses dresses, appealed to the ladies of the various churches, who contributed to the purchase of transportation to New York. Comment was also made upon the lack of foresight of the girls' parents in permitting them to go from home alone.

A vote for the Citizens ticket is a vote for pure water and adequate fire protection.

WAS NOT KNOCKED OUT.

Harry Johnson, Who Fought "Kid" Farmer in Chicago, Returns to Pittsburgh.

Harry Johnston, the Pittsburgh lightweight, returned from Chicago last night where he fought "Kid" Farmer before the Acme Athletic club in that city last Wednesday night. Johnston takes exception to the press reports which reached Pittsburgh stating that he was knocked out by his opponent.

Johnston was scheduled to meet Clarence Forbes and as he did not appear he was put on with "Kid" Farmer, who weighed 133 pounds. The fight lasted for six rounds at the end of which Farmer was given the decision. The fight was fast and interesting and Johnston was not knocked out.

Vote for genuine reform.

Smith With Toledo.

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 16.—Jud Smith, last year with Pittsburgh, and formerly of the Eastern league, is said to have signed with "Bandmaster" Strobel's Toledo aggregation. He will graduate from a Columbus, O., medical college in April.

Vote early and avoid the rush.

PLANS MADE FOR REORGANIZATION

FRICTION EXISTS BETWEEN TRACK OWNERS AND CYCLISTS.

Adjourned Meeting of National Cycling Association to Be Held in New York the First Week in April Promises to Be Interesting.

In view of the fact that Pittsburgh is soon to have one of the finest bicycle tracks in the United States, which will be built by President Barney Dreyfuss of the Pittsburgh baseball team and several Pittsburgh capitalists, local cycling enthusiasts will be interested in the following telegram from New York:

At the adjourned meeting of the National Cycling association, to be held in New York the first week in April, that body will be entirely reorganized if the plans of those in power do not miscarry.

The motion adopted at the meeting of February 4 and drawn up by Judge Givins of Jersey City called for an entire reorganization, but the members paid little or no attention to it at the time. From an excellent authority it is learned that under the new organization all the business transacted at the meeting February 4 will have to be done over.

It may be that a re-election of officers will have to be held. The American Bicycle Track association, formed by the track owners, lessees and managers, will meet before April 1 and declare its strength.

At the recent meeting of the N. C. A. there was some friction between the amateur and professional organizations, which cropped out in a number of ways.

Vote for a business-like administration of municipal affairs.

MICHAEL'S BIG WINNINGS.

Famous Cyclist Has Won Over $200,000 on His Wheel—To Ride as a Jockey.

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—Jimmy Michael will sail on the Kaiser Wilhelm on Tuesday for Europe. He will ride as a jockey in Paris for M. Charron, the horseman and automobile expert.

Before he sailed the "Midget" denied the report that he was to become a bicycle track owner or race promoter in America. His name had been mentioned in connection with that of Tom Eck in an application for a franchise for Coney Island at the recent meeting of the N. C. A.

Michael had some idea of promoting races there with Mr. Eck, but this was before he made his trip to France last fall, when he engaged to make a trial with the ponies in that country this season.

Michael admitted that he did escape a meeting with McEachern at Philadelphia recently by quitting the city, but he also said that he promised to pride providing he could get into shape. He found that he was out of condition and thought it better to give the game up at once rather than get beaten.

Regarding his future plans the cyclist said:

"In the horse world I can ride all my life, while in cycling I can at best hope to go on but a few years more. There is more money to be made as a jockey, too. I shall give it just one more trial, and a thorough one, and then if I fail I shall come back to the bicycle and finish out my career until driven out of the field.

"I cannot be blamed for wanting to get into something else than cycling, and perhaps lay by the fortune which I have not gained in cycling, although I have won $200,000 at least.

"I am disposing of my outfit employed in cycling, and providing I come back to America, shall bring an entire new outfit with me."

Every vote counts. Don't throw your's away.

New Orleans Racing Card.

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 16.—The following are the entries for the races today:

First race, selling, 1 1-16 miles—Josie F., 97; Clearfield, 99; Goldaga, 102; Afra, Tragedy, Miss Soak, Lillian Reed, 107; Blocker, Dutch Garter, 109; Senator Sullivan, 114.

Second race, two-year-olds, four furlongs—Suevius, 100; Musical Slipper, Maverick, Imp Lady Winkle, Merry Sister, 106; Navasota, 114; King Hammond, 108; Sly Boots, 105.

Third race, steeplechase handicap, short course—Ceylon, Harve B, 127; Mr. Rose, 132; MacLaren, 135; Miss Ransom, 138; Dagmar, 153; Bristol, 158.

Fourth race, handicap, 6½ furlongs—Johnnie McCartey, 95; Tom Kingsley, 98; Andes, 105; Scarlet Lily, 107; Sir Florian, 109; Carl Kahler, 110.

Fifth race, selling, 1¼ miles—Haidee, Little Daisy, 91; Deloraine, 97; Eugenie S, 101; Menace, 102; Meggs, Prince Real, 103; Linden Ella, 105; Joe Doughty, Campus, 106; Frank McConnell, 109, Elsbor, 110.

Sixth race, selling, mile—Annie Thompson, Lovable, 93; Deponan, 95; Beggar Lady, Hutch Miller, 97; Eight Bells, 98; Owensboro, 103; John G. Ford, Pharoah, 107; choice, 106; McWilliams, 108.

Turn out the crew that makes Pittsburgh a thing of barter and sale.

Today's Oakland Entries.

SAN FRANCISCO, CAL., Feb. 16.—The following are the entries for the Oakland races today:

First race, futurity course—Gusto, 121; Sir Dougal, 108; Lamuel, 100; Bolany, 103.

Second race, 7-16 of a mile, selling—Olshurst (formerly Narcetis), Maud Muller, Gavista, Phyz, 115; Delsigno, Elliston, 118; Little Margaret, 105.

Third race, three-fourths of a mile, selling—Clarando, 107; Marcata, Wyoming, 114; Scallywag, 104; Ned Dennis, Hungarian, 109; Sharp Bird, 117; Prestano, 99; Quiz II, 111.

Fourth race, 1 1-16 miles—Nilgar, Urchin, 111; The Gaffir, 106; Siddons, Col. Ballentyne, 109.

Fifth race, seven-eighths of a mile, selling—Dunblane, Barnato, 110; February, Merops, 107; Galanthus, Grafter, 104; Bragg, 98; Esternell, 99; Inocencia, 92.

Sixth race, three-fourths of a mile, selling—Alzura, Educate, Eldred, 104; Ulloa, Midnight Chimes, 107; Fine Shot, J. Boggs, Hilary, 110; Sarsifar, Loyal S, 106.

Vote for the Citizens' ticket and street pavements that will last.

CLARKE TO PLAY HOCKEY WITH THE BANKER STEAM

Pirates Captain Will Be Found at Point for the Dollar Marks.

GAMES IN CLEVELAND

Clarke Claims There Is No Better Sport Than Hockey to Keep Professional Baseball Players in Good Form During Winter Months.

Fred Clarke, manager of the Pittsburgh baseball club, who has become almost as good at hockey as he is at the national game, will again play at point for the Bankers' team this week in the three games the Dollar Marks will play with the Cleveland players.

One game will be at Duquesne garden on Thursday evening and the two others will be at Cleveland on Friday and Saturday nights. Clarke in the last hockey game he played here proved one of the stars and was frequently applauded when he stopped the onward rush of the opposition toward the Bankers' goal.

Fred says that next to baseball there is no game that he likes better than hockey. He declares that there is nothing that keeps a man in better condition during the winter months than playing hockey.

Clarke is one of the very few professional baseball players in this country who indulges in hockey during the winter, although it is quite common among the ball-tossers of Canada.

Hans Wagner, who is an expert at basketball, had an argument with Clarke the other day as to the respective merits of the two games, but Clarke claims he came out with flying colors against the heavy hitting Teuton of Carnegie.

Patsy Donovan, the former manager of the locals, who always is in the finest shape, even at the beginning of the baseball season, owes it all to the large amount of skating he indulges in at his home in Lowell, Mass., during the winter months.

In his argument with Wagner, Clarke brought out some strong points of hockey, some of which were as follows: It is mental training, as the adhering to the rules, the spirit of fair play, the addition of physical strength, and the acknowledgment of defeat or the glories of victory educate the mental faculties.

The muscles are nearly all developed by the game, as a player has to skate backward and forward, jump from side to side and make all kinds of gyrations that cannot help develop the human body.

PRACTICE STARTS TODAY.

Wash.-Jeff. Baseball Candidates to Train in Their Gymnasium Cage. Schedule About Complete.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

WASHINGTON, PA., Feb. 16.—(Special.)—Capt. A. B. Lacks of the W. & J. baseball team announced today that regular prictice would be started in the gymnasium cage tomorrow afternoon.

The following men have handed in their names, Futton, Gill, Minehart, Peters, Brown, Chess, Luther, Moorhead, Murray, Robb, Walsh, Eckles, Lyle, Moore, Murphy, Ridgely, Schrontz, Boyd and Dickie.

Moore pitched for Kiski last year and will be one of the promising candidates for the pitching department.

Manager Stevenson has almost completed his schedule and will submit it to the faculty soon. He is having some difficulty with the West Virginia university in arranging a game.

Turn out the crew that makes Pittsburgh a thing of barter and sale.

REFUSED $5,000 OFFER.

William Keeler Signs With Brooklyn and Will Captain Hanlon's Team.

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—William Keeler has signed a Brooklyn club contract for the coming season and will captain the team, as well as cover right field. Manager Hanlon had a talk with the great player on Friday, with the result that Keeler got into line quite readily.

It is not known what salary Keeler will command this year, but the fact that he refused an offer of $5,000 from the Detroit American League club leads to the belief that the Brooklyn officials consented to pay him a big increase over last year's salary.

Keeler is a native of Brooklyn and has a host of friends, who will be glad to learn that he is going to stay. His selection as captain, however, evidently means that Joe Kelley will not be with the Brooklyns another season. Kelley has a standing offer to play with the Baltimore American League club, but it is understood that he would like to manage and captain the New York club, providing Freedman sells out.

Kelley has been Hanlon's right-hand man in Brooklyn and is one of the most valuable players in the profession. He has had the managerial bee for some time past, but if he lands such a position he wants to be the absolute boss.

Library Dedication Delayed.

BEAVER FALLS, PA., Feb. 16.—(Special.)—When the contract for the construction of the Carnegie library building at this place was let, the time set for the dedication was the first of this month, but from general indications it will be June or July before the building is complete. No work has been done for several weeks on account of cold weather. The cause of the delay last summer was lack of material and men.

Found With Crushed Skull.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., Feb. 16.—(Special.)—German Ray, aged 40 years, was found on the streets of Lowellville last midnight, his skull crushed by a terrible blow on the head. Ray had gone to Lowellville to call on friends. He is thought to have been the victim of foul play and is dying at the Mahoning valley hospital here.

A BREATHING SPELL.

If the consumptive could only keep from getting worse it would be some encouragement.

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THIEVES ROBBED FIVE RESIDENCES

RANKIN CITIZENS AROUSED BY DEPREDATIONS YESTERDAY

Gang Broke Into Homes and After Chloroforming Inmates, Ransacked Drawers, Stealing Jewelry, Watches and Money—No Clue to Robbers.

Burglars made a wholesale raid on the town of Rankin early yesterday morning, breaking into five residences and using chloroform on the members of four families. All of the residences were ransacked. The booty secured was worth about $125.

In every case the thieves made their entry by prying open a window and, once inside the house, used chloroform freely on the inmates. The gang began operations at the home of Mrs. Mary Caulfield, in Kenmare avenue, Rankin, about 2 o'clock yesterday morning. They pried open one of the front windows and entered the sleeping room of Miss Margaret, one of Mrs. Caulfield's daughters.

She heard a slight noise and was awake in an instant. One of the men seized her and held a sponge soaked with chloroform over her mouth and nostrils. She was soon overcome by the drug, and the gang then ransacked the house, securing two gold watches and about $21 in money, which was in a pocketbook in a bureau drawer.

From Caulfield's they went to the residence of Justice of the Peace J. S. Donellon, which they entered by prying open a front window. Here, too, the house was ransacked and chloroform used, the members of the family being rendered ill by its fumes. Only a few dollars in money and some jewelry of slight value was secured, as the family was aroused by the chloroform and the burglars had to leave.

The next house visited was that of George Foreman, also in Kenmare avenue, where the same tactics were pursued. Outside of a few jeweled pins and some small change, loose in a drawer, nothing of value was secured.

The gang then changed the scene of operations to Third street, as their depredations had aroused the citizens along Kenmare avenue and the neighborhood was awake.

The house of James Reed was broken open and ransacked, the contents of drawers and closets being thrown about in confusion. Here the burglars secured jewelry and money to the value of perhaps $5. The family was awakened by the sickly and suffocating fumes of chloroform and discovered the robbery just as the dog belonging to Frank McCoy, who lives close by, frightened the gang away from his home after they had pried open another window and were about to enter. The burglars fled down the street and were seen by some of their victims. The police are working on the case, but have no clue to their identity.

None of the persons on whom chloroform was used are suffering much from the ill effects except Miss Caulfield, who was prostrated by the use of the drug and is still very ill.

Vote for the Citizens' ticket and fair competition on public contracts.

ORGANIZATION COMPLETE.

Pittsburghers Chosen as Officers of United States Fire Proofing Corporation.

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—(Special.)—The directors of the United States Fire Proofing Corporation, which was recently organized under the laws of the state of New Jersey to take over clay and manufacturing plants, with clay and coal mines in several states, met yesterday in this city and completed its permanent organization by the election of the following officers: President, Charles K. Robinson, formerly treasurer of the Barber Asphalt Paving Company of New York; vice president, William Lanier Washington, formerly of Pittsburgh, now of New York; treasurer, H. M. Landis, cashier of the Tradesmens National bank of Pittsburgh, and secretary, Byron Traver, No. 141 Broadway, New York, where the New York and eastern offices of the company will be located.

The United States Fire Proofing Corporation will be a strong and aggressive competitor and rival of the National Fire Proofing Company of Pittsburgh. It has acquired by purchase and perpetual lease the remaining outstanding clay and coal beds and running plants in Ohio and other states, not heretofore absorbed by the National company.

The principal business headquarters of the new corporation will be in Pittsburgh, Pa., where it will be in a position to cope with the National Fire Proofing trust as to prices, scope and methods.

An X mark in the circle of the Citizens party will make your ballot count against jobs for favored contractors.

WAR AMONG WORKERS.

Brewery Workmen of Cincinnati Threaten to Strike Because of Dispute With Another Union.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 16.—The brewers of Cincinnati, Covington and Newport now say that their workmen are expected to strike next Saturday. About 2,500 workmen are involved. Last night a few men were dropped and a conference today of interested parties failed to reach an agreement. National officers of the respective unions have been working here in vain.

The troubles comes from the dispute betwee the United Brewery Workers and the Stationary Engineers' unions, as to which of them shall have control and jurisdiction over the engineers and the firemen, who are employed in the various breweries of the three cities. The brewery workers insist that these engineers and firemen must organize as a subordinate union of the brewery workers' organization; the engineers' union claims that the brewery engineers, like all other stationary engineers, come under its jurisdiction and must belong to it, while the firemen must be members of the firemen's union, which is affiliated with the Engineers' International union.

Use only the Citizens' ticket for voting purposes.

CAN PHOTOGRAPH IN COLORS

A Yale Man Says That He Has Made a Long Stride in Advance.

NEW HAVEN, CONN., Feb. 16.—(Special.)—A. H. Verrill, a graduate of Yale and son of Prof. Addison E. Verrill, has discovered a process of photographing in brilliant colors.

The discoverer calls it an auto-chromatic process. It is not photo-chemical, entirely, but its exact nature is not made known, nor is anything divulged by Mr. Verrill, except that his discovery is a distinct invention and a decided advance in photography. He has experimented for several years, but only recently met with success.

Vote for reform and rebuke the ringsters.

MRS. DEWET IS FIRM.

Would Rather See Her Husband Die Than Surrender to the British.

DURBAN, Feb. 16.—Mrs. DeWet in an interview held at the Maritzburg concentration camps, said that two of her sons were still fighting with their father. She regretted that the government had not permitted her to communicate with her husband and said she was certain he would never surrender.

Mrs. DeWet declared she would rather see her husband die than submit.

A vote for the machine is a vote for higher taxes and more bonds.

Get your vote in early, and then remind your neighbor.

ANOTHER TALK IS PROMISED BY STEEL MASTER

Charles M. Schwab to Lecture for Students at Trinity, Hartford, Conn.

VIEWS ON COLLEGE LIFE

Former Lecture Was Misunderstood. Did Not Advise Boys That College Education Was Hindrance to Success—Other Noted Speakers.

Charles M. Schwab, president of the United States Steel Corporation, has accepted an invitation extended by the board of trustees of Trinity college, Hartford, Conn., to deliver a lecture on an educational subject in Alumni hall during the latter part of the month, and on account of the remarks attributed to Mr. Schwab in an address to one of the schools in New York one year ago the promised lecture will doubtless attract considerable attention.

Mr. Schwab, upon that occasion, was reported to have advised the boys against a college education and to have said that it was more of a hindrance than an advantage to a young man.

Judge Joseph Buffington of the United States district court, an alumnus and one of the trustees of Trinity college, who has been mainly instrumental in inducing Mr. Schwab to deliver one of the course of lectures by distinguished men, said yesterday that he had frequently conversed with Mr. Schwab in relation to the wrong impression given to the public by the report of his address.

"I can understand," continued Judge Buffington, "that Mr. Schwab fully intended to encourage the boys and to impress upon them the fact that their ambition should not be checked because of their limited means and because of their inability to take a collegiate course.

Believes in College Education.

"Mr. Schwab, I know, thoroughly believes in a college education for every one who can take advantage of it. He is much interested in schools and the fact that he has himself established a school of manual training at Homestead should be sufficient proof that he believes in the benefits of education for success in life.

"Mr. Schwab, at the urgent request of the trustees of Trinity college, has consented to address the students in alumni probably about February 25, on educational topics, filling one of the dates of the regular course of lectures, and it is expected that his remarks upon this occasion will correct the false impression given to the public by the construction placed upon the address referred to."

The Other Lectures.

The course of lectures arranged by the trustees includes many distinguished men. The Rev. Dr. Edward Everett Hale delivered the first lecture on January 21, on "The Five Great Duties of the Twentieth Century."

Monsieur Hughes Le Roux, the noted explorer, who arrived in this country last week and who will lecture in this city shortly; Prof. J. H. Wright, L. L. D., of Harvard university; Prof. H. S. Graves, Ph. D., of Yale Forest school, and the Rev. Dr. Henry C. McCook, the author of "The Latimers," the famous story of Western Pennsylvania, who will take for his subject "The Homes and Habits of American Ants," are among those who will lecture in the course.

TO CONSOLIDATE BANKS.

Promoters at Work in Cleveland to Make One Big Savings Institution from Many.

CLEVELAND, O., Feb. 16.—(Special.)—Promoters are at work on an immense project for the consolidation of all the score or more of small independent savings banks in residence parts of the city into one great institution, of which the present small banks shall be branches.

Each flurry of financial uneasiness causes depositors to withdraw money from small savings banks and deposit in the larger institutions, and the consolidation may prevent this and make the small banks safe and stronger. Recent failures of small savings banks through bad management started the movement.

Vote against the Stone-Flinn ticket and the manipulation of contracts for the favored few.

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Wellsville and Bellaire	‡ 5:20 am	† 5:40 am
Wellsville and Bellaire	‡ 5:20 am	‡ 7:10 pm
Alliance and Cleveland	† 5:20 am	† 1:10 pm
Alliance and Wooster	† 5:40 am	†10:06 pm
Jamestown & Youngstown	† 6:30 am	† 1:20 pm
Ohio Valley Express	† 6:45 am	† 8:35 pm
Ft. Wayne and Chicago	* 7:00 am	* 5:30 pm
Ft. Wayne and Chicago	* 7:00 am	* 3:50 am
Tiffin and Toledo	† 7:00 am	† 5:30 pm
New Castle and Jamestown	* 7:35 am	* 5:50 pm
Youngstown and Ashtabula	* 7:35 am	‡ 5:50 pm
Erie and Ashtabula	† 7:35 am	†10:45 am
Mercer and Oil City	† 7:35 am	†10:45 am
Cleveland Fast Line	* 8:00 am	* 7:40 pm
Columbus and Cincinnati	* 8:00 am	* 5:40 pm
Youngstown & Jamestown	†12:40 pm	† 8:20 pm
New Castle and Ashtabula	†12:40 pm	† 7:50 pm
Columbus and Chicago	*12:25 pm	* 2:50 pm
Alliance and Cleveland	† 1:25 pm	† 7:20 pm
Wellsville & Bellaire	† 1:25 pm	† 7:20 pm
Alliance and Crestline	* 1:35 pm	*12:40 pm
New Castle and Erie	† 4:35 pm	† 7:50 pm
Youngstown and Niles	† 4:35 pm	* 5:20 pm
Mercer and Oil City	† 4:35 pm	† 7:20 pm
Wellsville and Bellaire	† 4:50 pm	† 4:50 am
Cleveland Special	* 6:00 pm	*11:20 am
Wellsville and Bellaire	‡ 5:10 pm	‡ 9:10 am
Chicago Special	* 6:30 pm	* 7:45 am
Chicago Limited	* 8:15 pm	* 6:00 am
Columbus and Cincinnati	* 8:15 pm	* 6:00 am
Ind'ap's, Louisv. & St. L.	* 8:15 pm	* 6:30 am
Toledo and Detroit	* 9:30 pm	* 5:00 am
Beaver F. and N. Castle	†10:15 pm	† 7:45 pm
Alliance and Cleveland	*11:00 pm	* 5:40 am

Leave for Washington, Pa., †6:20 am, †7:30 am, *9:00 am, †9:45 am, 11:25 pm, †1:10 pm, †4:10 pm, †5:15 pm, ‡5:30 pm, †6:30 pm, †10:30 pm.

Leave for Wheeling, †6:45 am, *8:20 am, †11:50 am, †2:35 pm, †6:15 pm.

Leave for Steubenville, *5:20 am, †8:25 am, †2:35 pm, †4:15 pm, †10:40 pm, †11:35 am.

Leave for Dennison, *5:50 am, †2:35 pm.

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Youngstown & Cleve. Mail	* 8:25 am	* 9:00 am
Buffalo & Erie Express	† 8:25 am	† 9:45 pm
L. Chautauqua Fast Line	†12:30 pm	* 6:30 pm
Buffalo & Erie Express	† 2:30 pm	†11:15 am
Cleveland & Chicago Ex.	* 2:30 pm	* 1:00 pm
Chicago & Cleve. "Flyer"	† 6:00 pm	* 5:30 pm
Buffalo & Cleveland Ex.	*10:30 pm	* 6:05 am
Cleve. & Youngst'n Accom.	† 5:05 am	† 5:10 pm
Beaver Falls Accom'dation	† 6:20 am	† 5:45 am
Beaver Falls Accom'dation	† 9:20 am	† 6:40 am
Beaver Falls Accom'dation	†12:10 pm	†12:30 pm
Beaver Falls Accom'dation	† 3:35 pm	† 4:15 pm
New Castle Express	† 4:20 pm	† 7:32 am
Beaver Valley Express	† 5:20 pm	† 9:50 am
Fayette City & ‡N. Haven	* 6:00 am	* 8:15 am
McKeesp't & Fayette City	†11:50 am	†12:35 pm
Fayette City & ‡N. Haven	† 3:30 pm	* 4:50 pm
Fayette City Express	* 5:20 pm	† 7:22 am

Trains depart for Ellwood City, †6:35 a. m., *8:25 a. m., †12:30 p. m., *2:30 p. m., †4:20 p. m.

P., C. & Y. trains for Carnegie, Beadling and Beechmont, †8:25 a. m., †10:15 a. m.

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Wash., Balt. & New York.	* 8:00 am	* 7:40 pm
Connelsv., Unt'n & Fairmt	* 8:00 am	* 7:40 pm
Connelsv. & Mt. Pleasant.	† 3:00 am	† 9:50 am
Connellsville Accom.	† 8:20 am	† 1:40 pm
Con'lsv., Un't'n, M'g'nt..	†12:10 pm	† 6:50 am
Connelsv. & Mt. Pleasant.	†12:10 pm	† 1:40 pm
Cumb., Wash. & Balt.	* 1:20 pm	* 2:45 pm
Connellsville Accom.	* 4:00 pm	† 4:45 pm
Mo'g'ntown, Clarksbg and Weston	† 5:00 pm	†12:50 pm
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Wash., Balt. & Phila.	* 9:45 pm	* 6:10 am
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Wash. (Pa.) & Wheel. Ac.	* 7:05 am	*10:05 am
Col., Cin. & St. L. Ex.	* 8:40 am	* 7:45 am
Whg., Z'ville & Col. Ac.	* 1:05 pm	* 4:00 pm
Wash. (Pa.) & Wheeling.	* 4:20 pm	* 6:00 pm
Col., Cin. & St. L. Ex.	* 8:50 pm	* 7:45 pm
LINES WEST VIA AKRON.		
Cleveland Express	* 6:25 am	* 9:50 pm
Chicago & Cleveland	* 2:30 pm	*12:55 pm
Chicago Limited	* 7:55 pm	* 7:40 am
(Leave P. & W. Station, Allegheny.)		
Butler	* 7:30 am	† 7:32 am
New Castle, Youngstown, Painesv., Butler, Erie	† 9:00 am	† 7:32 pm
Kane and Foxburg	* 9:00 am	† 5:20 pm
New Castle & Butler	* 9:00 am	* 7:35 pm
Butler	†10:47 am	† 7:55 am
Butler, Greenville, Erie	† 1:15 pm	†12:25 pm
Ellwood City	† 1:15 pm	† 4:20 am
Butler, Clarion, Greenv'e	† 3:20 pm	†10:47 am
Ellw'd, N. Castle, Butler	† 5:30 pm	† 9:35 am
Ellwood and Butler	† 5:30 pm	† 9:55 am
Butler	† 6:15 pm	† 3:20 pm
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By virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court of Allegheny county, at No. 1 March term, 1901, in partition of estate of Mary Oliver, deceased, the undersigned Trustees, to make sale in partition, will offer at Public Sale on the premises, on

Wednesday, March 5, 1902,

AT 2:00 P.M.

One hundred and fifty lots of ground situate in the Borough of Duquesne, County of Allegheny, State of Pennsylvania, numbered One to One Hundred and Fifty inclusive, in Plan of Partition annexed to Sheriff's Inquisition on file at above number and term; said lots being further described in Purparts as follows, to-wit:

Purpart "A"—Lots Nos. 1, 2, 3 marked A 1, Nos. 70, 71, 72 marked A 2, Nos. 105, 106 marked A 3, Nos. 131, 132, 133, 134 marked A 4. Having thereon erected a frame dwelling house. Lots numbered 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69 marked A 5 in partition plan annexed to sheriff's inquisition.

Purpart "B"—Lots Nos. 4, 5, 6, 7 marked B 1. Having thereon a two-story dwelling. Lots Nos. 73, 74, 75 marked B 2. Nos. 107, 108 marked B 3. Nos. 144, 145, 146 marked B 4. Nos. 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63 marked B 5 in said plan.

Purpart "C"—Lots Nos. 8, 9, 10, 11 marked C 1. Nos. 79, 80, 81 marked C 2. Nos. 109, 110 marked C 3. Nos. 120, 121, 122, 123 marked C 4. Nos. 36, 37, 38, 39 marked C 5. Nos. 102, 103, 104 marked C 6 in said plan.

Purpart "D"—Lots Nos. 12, 13, 14, 15 marked D 1. Nos. 82, 83, 84, 85 marked D 2. Nos. 111, 112 marked D 3. Nos. 135, 136, 137 marked D 4. Having thereon erected a frame dwelling. Lots Nos. 40, 41, 42, 43 marked D 5 in said plan.

Purpart "E"—Lots Nos. 16, 17, 18, 19 marked E 1. Nos. 86, 87, 88 marked E 2. Nos. 113, 114 marked E 3. Nos. 140, 141, 142, 143 marked E 4. Having thereon erected a two-story dwelling. Lots 96, 97, 98, 99, 100, 101 marked E 5 in said plan.

Purpart "F"—Lots Nos. 20, 21, 22, 23 marked F 1. Nos. 89, 90, 91 marked F 2. Nos. 115, 116 marked F 3. Nos. 138, 139 marked F 4. Having thereon erected a two-story dwelling. Lots Nos. 148, 149, 150 marked F 5. Nos. 32, 33, 34, 35 marked F 6 in said plan.

Purpart "G"—Lots Nos. 24, 25, 26, 27 marked G 1. Nos. 76, 77, 78 marked G 2. Nos. 117, 118 marked G 3. Nos. 128, 129, 130 marked G 4. Having thereon erected a two-story frame dwelling. Lot No. 147 marked G 5. Nos. 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50 marked G 6 in said plan.

Purpart "H"—Lots Nos. 28, 29, 30, 31 marked H 1. Nos. 92, 93, 94, 95 marked H 2. No. 119 marked H 3. Nos. 124, 125, 126, 127 marked H 4. Having thereon erected a two-story frame dwelling. Lots Nos. 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56 marked H 5 in said plan.

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ALSO, Purpart "I," situate in said borough of Duquesne (a small portion thereof in Mifflin township), county and state aforesaid, being the second described piece in the writ, bounded on the north by line of heirs of D. Hamilton, and on the south, east and west by lands of the Carnegie Steel Company, containing 15 [illegible] acres, as shown by metes and bounds in plan annexed to sheriff's inquisition. Together with a right of way appurtenant thereto 40 feet wide, as reserved in deed of Mary Oliver to Carnegie Steel Co., running from the southeast side of said tract to a street 50 feet in width, in said plan. Excepting out of said tract a small strip appropriated by the Monongahela Boulevard Company, designated in said plan.

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Partners.

PARTNER in butcher business; must have $400 in cash; this is good thing; experience is not necessary; no books; all cash; address M 77, The Gazette.

Flats.

A FIVE-ROOM flat or a six-room house; must be in nice neighborhood; preferably near Penn ave cars or A. V. R. R.; suburb preferred. Address K 55, The Gazette.

Special.

CASH paid for old gold and silver, or taken in exchange. C. Hauch, jeweler, 541 Smithfield st. 34uwsfr

Miscellaneous.

Electric Plating,
Metal Patterns,
Model Making,
Light Machine Work.
COOKE PLATING WORK,
110 Sandusky st.,
Allegheny, Pa.

WANTED—Everybody to attend the auction sale of household goods for storage charges Wednesday, February 19, 10 a. m., at warehouse, Allegheny Transfer Co., 840 West North ave., Allegheny. 29pwypuvs

WANTED—Old and New Carpets Bought and sold. Call and see us. Allegheny Carpet & Feather Renovating Co., 823 Pennsylvania ave.

WANTED—You to examine our printing carefully. Satisfaction guaranteed. H. C. Knapp, 3521 Butler st. Bell 'phone 81 Fisk; P. & A. 81 Lawrence.

WANTED—Women to see our odds and ends in fine shoes we are offering at half original price and good shoes that fit comfortably. CAIN, 503 Market st.

WANTED—Every firm in the city to try H. C. Knapp, the printer, 3521 Butler st., for satisfactory commercial printing. Both 'phones.

WANTED—To know if you want printing done by a good printer? H. C. Knapp, 3521 Butler st.

WANTED—Men to see our $3.50 enameled or patent leather heavy double sole. CAIN, 503 Market st.

ROOMMATE for gentleman, with first-class board. 41 Fourth st.

NOT necessary to hold the nose when giving SWEET CASTOR.

FOR RENT.

City and Suburban Residences.

FOR RENT—SUBURBAN HOUSES.

BELLEVUE.
$26.50—Cedar st., 2 modern bricks, 10 rooms, each near Grant ave.
$41.66—Euclid ave., 7-room frame, large lot.

AVALON.
$21—Forest ave., 7 rooms, large lot.

BEN AVON.
$50—Brighton Road, 10-room frame, 2 acres.
$40—Ridge ave., new frame, 11 rooms, large lot.
$41.66—Ridge ave., brick and shingle, 11 rooms; large lot.
$15—Dickson and Perrysville aves., 6 rooms.
$21—Perrysville ave., 6 rooms, bath.
$21—Perrysville ave., 6 rooms.
All of above have city water.

EMSWORTH.
$15—Allegheny ave., F. L. A. plan, 6 rooms.
$15—Beaver Road, near Mill, 6 rooms.
$15—Near Beaver Road, 5 rooms, stable.
$14—Garnett plan, 6 rooms, bath.
HENRY W. ARMSTRONG, 56 Federal st., Allegheny.

FOR RENT.
New Rent List Just Out.
Call or send for it.
SAMUEL W. BLACK & CO.,
318 Fourth ave.
Will move to
Peoples Savings Bank Bldg.,
Fourth ave. and Wood st.

FOR RENT.

Fine apartments, 4 to 6 rooms, $17 to..	$25 25
Modern dwellings, 4 to 10 rooms, $15 to..	60 00
Summer residence and 8 acres ground...	28 00
Ideal summer residence, 14 rooms........	80 00
Fine offices, $8 to........................	12 00
Storerooms, $25 to........................	85 00

Don't fail to see DAVIES & CO., Wood and Penn, Wilkinsburg.

SEND US YOUR NAME and your address and we'll send you our up-to-date list of properties for rent and for sale. PRUDENTIAL TRUST CO., Penn and Centre aves., E. E. sumwtff

FOR RENT—The largest list in the city of dwellings, offices and business houses. Send for our list. UNION REALTY CO., 312 Fourth ave.

Allegheny Residences.

FOR RENT—Eleventh ward, Allegheny, fine view; new 5-roomed frame house, attic, porches, gas, water, etc.; three minutes from cars, $18.

One acre of ground, Eleventh ward, Allegheny, 7-roomed house, barn, plenty of fruit, good water, etc., to a good tenant, $12.50.
H. W. KLEIN, Penna. and Beaver aves., Allegheny.

East End Residences.

$35—No. 713 Aiken ave., 4 rooms first floor, 3 rooms and bath second floor, and attic.
$45—No. 511 St. Clair st., 9 rooms, almost new and modern; possession at once if desired.
$45—No. 217 Coltart square, near Forbes st., 9 rooms, well improved.
$40—No. 5713 Rippey st., 8 rooms, well improved. Send for printed list.
W. A. HERRON & SONS, 327 and 329 Fourth ave.

FOR RENT—
Dwellings, Stores and Offices.
Send card for large list and map of East End, free.
S. H. LLOYD, 6016 Penn ave., E. E. Pittsburgh.

LIST YOUR PROPERTIES
For rent or for sale with us and be assured of prompt and liberal treatment.
PRUDENTIAL TRUST CO., Penn and Centre aves., E. E.

MODERATE RENTS.
East End homes, large or small, all conveniences. See the
PRUDENTIAL TRUST CO., Penn and Centre aves., E. E.

SEND for a complete list of East End houses. J. W. SHERRER, 107 Sheridan ave.

SEND for my rent list of East End houses. F. A. Van Gorder, 6212 Penn ave. Tel. 301.

Rooms.

TO LET.
Corner Main and Chestnut sts.—Store and 9 rooms; rent $50.
W. F. WEITERSHAUSEN, 717 Ohio st., Allegheny.

FOR RENT—Three-story business building on Third ave., near Smithfield st. GEORGE JOHNSTON, Agent, 421 Wood st.

FOR RENT—Handsomely furnished front rooms; board if desired; private family. No. 8 Highland place, North Highland ave., corner Rodman.

NEW large newly furnished rooms, every convenience; board if desired; gentlemen preferred. 4000 Penn ave.

Flats.

FOR RENT—
APARTMENTS, with modern conveniences.
Steam heat, hot water, screens and shades for entire apartment; janitor service for halls and porches furnished free.
COLLINS AVE.—5 rooms, first and second floors; $35.
WINEBIDDLE AVE.—6 rooms, hardwood finish, gases for heating and lights furnished free.
PENN AVE.—(Montana and Idaho)—6 rooms, hardwood finish; large rooms; $50.
And a great many others, all sizes and prices. Send card for large list.
S. H. LLOYD, 6016 Penn ave., E. E., Pittsburgh.

Business Properties.

FOR RENT—Business houses and lofts.
Send for printed list.
W. A. HERRON & SONS, 327 and 329 Fourth ave. 23ns

FOR RENT—New storeroom in busy manufacturing town of 5,000; fine chance for hardware, drygoods, general merchandise or any suitable business. Address Box 18, Steubenville, O.

Furnished Houses.

FOR RENT—From April 1, nicely furnished brick house, 8 rooms and bath; Sheffield st., Allegheny; rent $38 per month; best of references required. EDWARD G. LANG, 619 West Diamond st., Allegheny, Pa.

FOR RENT.
Furnished residence for rent to October 1, 1902. Fifth ave., Shadyside. Rent $225 per month. See JOSEPH M. BROWN & CO., Times Bldg.

FOR RENT.

Offices.

FOR RENT—Good Offices—
$16 00—Large and desirable room.
$11 50—Good sized room.
$ 8 00—Smaller room.
Heat and light included.
Blair building, Federal, corner Isabella st., Allegheny.
Send for printed list.
W. A. HERRON & SONS, 327 Fourth ave.

FOR RENT—
Choice Fourth ave. offices.
Fully up to date.
Single or in suit.
Rent of some as low as $27 per mo.
Send for list.
W. A. HERRON & SONS.

Desk Room.

FOR RENT—Desk room in finest offices in the city. For particulars address P. O. Box 529.

FOR SALE.

City and Suburban Residences.

"DON'T THINK OF IT!"
"DON'T THINK OF IT!"

No matter what inducements are offered you DON'T think of buying a house until you READ a full description in my SPECIAL list (now ready) of fine city and suburban HOMES. (Easy payments if desired.) Cannot attempt to publish a full description of these properties in the newspapers. As a simple reminder of the great bargains which you may expect to find all through "RUSH'S" Special For Sale List, I will here mention a few. A fine large 8-room house with lot 55 feet front, $2,500; new 6-room frame house, finished attic, bathroom, hot and cold water, laundry, good cellar, stone walls, slate roof, halls, two porches, lot 75x100, $2,800; as low as $1,200; homes for the workingman and the millionaire. DON'T pay any more rent. Come in and get list; it is good reading.
JOHN P. RUSH, 405 Market st., Builders' Exchange.

SWISSVALE BARGAIN.

I have just completed a block of 5 seven-room brick houses, with buff brick fronts, bath, hot and cold water, chandeliers, cabinet mantels; houses are papered throughout. They were built to sell for $3,000 each or $15,000 for all five. I am in need of cash and will offer the above property to a quick buyer for $11,505; only $3,755 cash needed. For further information call or write
J. WILLIAM BARNES, 228-230 Eighth ave., Homestead, Pa.

For sale: $100 cash, balance $12 monthly; $2,400 seven-room dwelling, bath, inside water closet, both gases, chandeliers, nicely papered, porches and yard, near car lines, schools, churches and railroad station, with a five-cent fare on either to the city.
SAMUEL W. BLACK & CO., 318 Fourth avenue.
Branch office No. 4802 Second avenue, opposite Flowers avenue.

FOR SALE.

WILKINSBURG—Modern house of 11 rooms and bath; fine range, laundry, front and back porches, paved street; lot 50x120 feet; choice neighborhood; convenient to station and street cars; easy terms to quick buyer; $8,500.
ZAHNISER & BRISBINE, 426 Fourth ave.

FOR SALE—Well-built frame, 6 rooms; bath, reception hall, gas for light and heat, furnace, slate mantels, sliding doors; all modern conveniences; cellar under whole house; front and rear porches; lot 50x100; sewered; price $4,500; any reasonable terms will be accepted; reason for selling, owner is leaving city; will not rent.
JAMES A. GRIFFITH, 5 Arlington ave., Hilltop, Thirty-first ward.

$5,000—Bellevue; frame house, 10 rooms; first-class condition. A complete house. Lot 80x150.
FEDERAL REALTY COMPANY, First National Bank Building, Federal St. and Park Way.

IF you have any property for sale place list with us, as we can sell it for you. MYERS & CO., 106 N. Highland ave.

FOR SALE—Seven-roomed house and large lot, Emsworth. A bargain. Inquire at drug store.

East End Residences.

FOR SALE—$4,400—Consider This—A modern brick house, 8 rooms, bath, laundry, etc., on nice 30-ft. lot, close to East End ave. This property is exceptionally good for the price required; very reasonable terms. You cannot find anything better. IRA C. EWING CO., 213 Ferguson Bldg.

FOR SALE—GRAHAM ST., $6,900.
A modern reception hall, brick house on Graham st.; complete in every particular; reduced to this price to make a quick sale; reasonable terms. S. H. LLOYD, 6016 Penn ave.

FOR SALE—A complete up-to-date brick reception hall house; near North Highland ave. and park, E. E.; shady side of 60-ft. st.; good sized lot; easy terms. Address C. G. Mitchell, 815 Heberton ave., E. E., city. Bell 'phone 1568-2 East.

FOR SALE—South St. Clair street, near Friendship, modern brick house, ten rooms and reception hall, $8,500. Address S 74, The Gazette.

Allegheny Residences.

FOR SALE—House of 6 rooms, attic, porches, water, gas, etc.; large lot, 2 minutes from Perrysville ave.; the best bargain ever offered; house will rent for $25.
If sold at once, price $2,400.
H. W. KLEIN, Penna. and Beaver aves., Allegheny.

FOR SALE—
Exceptionally desirable property.
Stockton ave., near Federal st., Allegheny.
Size 70x240 ft.
Price and terms very reasonable.
For full information see
W. A. HERRON & SONS, 327-329 Fourth ave. 210us

$6,500—Allegheny—Three-story brick, 11 rooms, bath, laundry, gas, hot and cold water, range, etc.; excellent location, fine street.
FEDERAL REALTY COMPANY, First National Bank Building, Federal and Park way.

FOR SALE—Doctors of Allegheny, please take notice that I am sole agent for the sale of the late Dr. C. J. Vincent's property, North ave., Allegheny City. W. H. H. Algeo, 1104 Federal st., Allegheny.

Farms.

FINE FARM of 112 acres for $2,600, and only 38 miles from Pittsburgh and 1½ miles from the P., C., C. & St. L. R. R. station; underlaid with coal, and has some timber, and balance is all tillable limestone soil.

P. C. CAMPBELL, SWISSVALE, PA.

300-acre farm at a great bargain if sold at once. Located near good market and close to street car line and R. R. station.

P. C. CAMPBELL, SWISSVALE, PA.

FOR SALE—Farm of 75 acres, ½ mile from station on main line of P. R. R.; frame house of 5 rooms, large bank barn and outbuildings; splendid spring water; land all underlaid with 6-foot vein coal; land under good cultivation; can all be farmed by machinery; this farm must be sold within one week. Price $4,000, $1,000 to $1,500 cash, balance to suit purchaser. This is a snap.
R. S. M'DOWELL & CO., Opposite P. R. R. Station, Wilkinsburg. Telephone 214-1.

FOR SALE.
270 acres in Jefferson county, O., 9 miles from Steubenville, on P., C., C. & St. L. R. R.; brick house of 7 rooms; barn 40x80 and necessary outbuildings; fences in medium condition; land level and rolling; can all be worked by machinery; all underlaid with coal; fair orchard; some timber; plenty of good water; price $10,000, and terms to suit. (1445 B)
S. A. GIBSON & CO., 401 Grant st.

FOR SALE.
A choice farm of 80 acres, Columbiana county, Ohio, 1½ miles from East Palestine; nearly level; underlaid with vein drift coal; 7-room house, large barn, etc.; excellent water and best of fruit; the most productive and best-located farm in that section; very desirable home; price $6,000, on liberal terms. Investigate this for it is elegant. (No. 258.)
A. C. McCOMB & CO., 326 Fourth ave.

SEND for new list of farms for sale or exchange. A. C. McComb & Co., 326 Fourth ave.

Lots.

FOR SALE—
Centrally located, lot 50x144 feet,
Muriel st., between 13th and 14th sts.,
South Side; price $5,000.
For information see
W. A. HERRON & SONS, 327-329 Fourth ave., City.

LOTS—Owner of three level ones, convenient to trolley and train, 10 minutes' ride from postoffice, will sell cheap and on easy terms; plan of house made by local architect for owner will be given to purchaser. Address M 59, Chronicle Telegraph.

CHOICE lots for sale in the Mt. Vernon Land & Improvement Company's plan, situate on Termon, Wheeler, Oswego and Syracuse aves., Eleventh ward, Allegheny. Prices reasonable. Call at office of the company, Room 123 Bakewell building, Pittsburgh.

FOR SALE.

Lands and Acreage.

FOR SALE—Fifty acres Swissvale borough, or one to five acres five to ten minutes from station. Room 601, 200 Ninth st., or J. J. Campbell, Wilkinsburg, Pa.

For Sale or Exchange.

NOT only babies, but mothers prefer SWEET CASTOR.

NO trouble when SWEET CASTOR is used. 10 cents.

Business Opportunities.

MEAT, BUTTER AND EGG business in a good location; better than a saloon; price $450. Address M 47, The Gazette.

WE can sell your business. TAIT & CO., Room 31, 339 Fifth ave.

IF you want to buy or sell any kind of business see CAVANAGH CO., 426 Fourth ave.

NEW sawmill; complete. J. C. Wilson, 58 Chestnut st., Washington, Pa.

BUSINESS CHANCES—Send for list. Estep & Co., 326 Fourth ave.

Machinery.

PUMPS AND FEED WATER HEATERS.

The following are a few of the large pumps we have to offer, although we can furnish any size desired:

Duplex.
18½"x11x10" Worthington, 8" discharge.
12x8"x10" Hughes, 5" discharge.
12x6x12" Hall, 4" discharge.
7½x3½x8" National Transit, 2" discharge.

Single Cylinder.
18x12x20" Cameron, 6" discharge.
14x10x20" Titusville, 4" discharge.
20x7x18" Blake, 3½" discharge.
12x8x12" Niagara, 5" discharge.
10x5½x10" Cameron, 2½" discharge.

Heaters.
2,000 H. P. Webster.
1,500 H. P. Webster.
1,000 H. P. Webster.
500 H. P. Carlin.
500 H. P. National.
600 H. P. Goubert.
200 H. P. Phoenix.
100 H. P. Stillwell-Bierce.

WICKES BROTHERS,
45th st. and A. V. Ry.,
Pittsburgh.
Phones:
Bell 243 Fisk.
P. & A. 191 Lawrence.

A PARTIAL LIST.
ENGINES.
28x60 Corliss
12x21x24 Cross Compound
15x14 Ideal
10x12 Ball
24x48 Wright.
Porter Allen.
8x12 Russell.
10x16 Buss.
and smaller sizes.
BOILERS.
Tubular, Portable and Vertical.
Pumps, Pipe, Fittings, Pulleys, etc.
Send for Stock List.
ATWELL MACHINERY COMPANY,
507 and 508 Hamilton Building.
Bell 'Phone 1893 Grant.
P. & A. 'Phone 2690 Main.

FOR SALE—Boilers and Engines—Large stock of all sizes, from 3 to 150 h. p.; one 20x30 engine, one 16x36, two 12x16, and large variety of smaller sizes, both horizontal and upright; large lot of tubular, 2-flue, portable and upright boilers. Shafting, pulleys, hangers, couplings, and lot of miscellaneous machinery. Good second-hand belting, leather, rubber and cloth, at half price. J. S. YOUNG, 108-110 Park way, Allegheny, Pa.

TRANTER-DAVISON MFG. CO.,
Machinists and Manufacturers.
Shafting, hangers, iron and wood split pulleys, syphons, injectors, pipe and fittings, and specialties in iron and brass; boilers, engines, pumps, machinery and supplies. Agents for WARREN GAS ENGINES.
105 Water st. 104 First ave.

N. C. DAVISON.
Gas and steam engines, boilers, pumps, compressors. 108 Market st.

Pianos.

A large number of pianos that have been rented from six to 12 months and others used for concert purposes only; will be sold at about one-half their original values. Musically the instruments are as good as new. Prices, including stool and cover, $135 00, $150 00, $165 00 and $200 00 for pianos that sell ordinarily from $250 00 to $400 00. Among this lot there are Pianos of famous makes; mahogany, rosewood and ebonized cases. Low prices are not always cheap prices, but every piano included in this sale is a genuine bargain, and if it's quality you want at a small outlay, here is your opportunity. Terms to suit. J. M. Hoffmann & Co., 537 Smithfield st.

FOR SALE—
A good
Mahogany Upright Piano,
Fine tone and action. Only $90.
Hoffmann's Music House,
537 Smithfield st.

PIANO—Extraordinary, renowned upright; cover, stool; practically new; very cheap; best references. P. O. Box 432, Pittsburgh.

$350—Upright piano, brand new; sell cheap; best reference. 1207 Webster ave. or 815 Penn avenue.

FOR SALE—Large upright, in perfect condition, $100. Hoffman's Music House, 537 Smithfield st.

Horses and Vehicles.

A ROCKAWAY buggy and full harness; good order; worth $250; sell for $75. Write 615 Penn ave. A. H., Columbia Phonograph Co.

ARRIVED—Extra heavy draught horses; also pit and general purpose mules. Philip Steinmiller, 110 Second ave.

Birds and Dogs.

JUST ARRIVED—New lot of fine St. Andreasberg Roller canaries, the finest singers in the world, months of constant training being given to bring them to the desired degree of perfection; also new lot of fine Hartz mountain canaries, guaranteed singers. Finest line of brass cages in the city at lowest prices. Send for catalogue. NEW YORK BIRD STORE, 615 Smithfield st.

GOLDFINCHES, linnets, bulfinches and all kinds of European song birds; talking parrots, goldfish, aquariums and aquarium supplies; also fine lot of Japanese fantail goldfish. NEW YORK BIRD STORE, 615 Smithfield st.

NOW is the time for breeding canaries. We have female canaries, breeding cages and all supplies at lowest prices; largest assortment in the city; send for catalogue. NEW YORK BIRD STORE, 615 Smithfield st.

ANGORA CATS—We have just received a new lot of very fine Angora kittens. Call and see them; no trouble to show. NEW YORK BIRD STORE, 615 Smithfield st.

Miscellaneous.

FOR SALE—50 misfit carpets.
To be sold cheap.
Ingrain, Brussels and Velvets.
Allegheny Carpet and Feather Renovating Co.,
823 Pennsylvania ave.

One lot second-hand chandeliers; nearly as good as new; at right price. Call at once. Haugh & Keenan S. and T. Company, Third st. and Duquesne way, city.

FOR SALE—A lot of paper; will print your business card on it at a reasonable figure; good work is all we do. H. C. Knapp, 3521 Butler st.

TYPEWRITTEN CIRCULAR LETTERS.
$1.00 per hundred.
PITTSBURGH STENOGRAPHIC STUDIO,
414 Lewis Block. 1201ph

REMEMBER—H. C. Knapp's 'phone numbers are P. & A. 81 Lawrence; Bell 81 Fisk, when you want good printing at the right price.

SAW MILL outfit; 25-horse power; in good order; also prices made on new outfits. Address B. D. Reed, Bellevue, Pa.

IF you want good painting done, go to a painter who knows his business.
P. J. BYRNE, 634 Fifth ave.

GRANDFATHER'S clock; 100 years old; running order. Box 185, New Galilee, Pa.

GRINDSTONES—All sizes and grits. William Kirby, 300 First ave.

WEAR Cain's shoes for sore and tired feet. 503 Market st.

REWARD.

REWARD—We will pay $100.00 reward in every case for information that will lead to the arrest and conviction of any person or persons voting or attempting to vote illegally in the Fourth ward, city of Pittsburgh, on the 18th day of February, 1902. John Gibbons, chairman Fourth ward Citizens party. 26xpvdc

DON'T Lay on a Hard Mattress—
Have it made over.
We send it back like new.
Allegheny Carpet & Feather Renovating Co.,
823 Pennsylvania ave.

LETTER HEADS, circulars, letters, bill heads, etc., printed as they should be by H. C. Knapp, 3521 Butler st. Both 'phones.

REWARD—H. C. Knapp, the Printer, because he's the best. 3521 Butler st. Both 'phones.

WEAR Cain's shoes for sore and tired feet. 503 Market st.

NO TROUBLE for babies to take SWEET CASTOR.

NO need for father's help to give SWEET CASTOR.

SAME effect produced by SWEET CASTOR. 10 cents.

SWEET CASTOR takes place of castor oil. 10 cents.

IF you need castor oil, use SWEET CASTOR.

STOLEN.

SWEET CASTOR!
Acts like Castor Oil,
Looks like Castor Oil,
Same dose as Castor Oil,
Same price as Castor Oil,
But it TASTES DIFFERENT.

TO get old and new carpets cheap
You must get the right place.
Allegheny Carpet and Feather Renovating Co.,
Near Irwin, 823 Pennsylvania ave.
P. & A. 'Phone 963 North.

ROOM FOR ONE MORE.
Usually there's not, but in this season, if you want good painting done, send for BYRNE, the painter, 634 Fifth ave.

STOLEN—As others say: Knapp does the best printing. 3521 Butler st. Both 'phones.

SWEET CASTOR, pure castor oil, price 10 cts.; all druggists.

PERSONAL.

PERSONAL—
HEART TO HEART TALKS.
My Dear Father Pitt:
There has been too much saving at the spigot and wasting at the bung hole; too much littleness and not enough public spirit shown. Can you think of any better way of helping the city than by keeping up a good appearance, making our city attractive to strangers and satisfying to ourselves? No man should have a dingy looking house when painting is done so reasonable as here.
P. J. BYRNE, 634 Fifth ave.

THAT OLD PIANO—
Do you know it can be repolished and given that "new" appearance, and that the "works" can be repaired and regulated—in short, that we can give it a new lease of life at very small cost? Let us give you an estimate.
ALEX. ROSS PIANO CO., 714 Penn ave.

PERSONAL—Allegheny Carpet & Feather Renovating Co., 823 Pennsylvania ave.
Can sell you carpets cheap.
We have misfit carpets.
And have second-hand carpets.

PERSONAL—Let us clean your carpets.
We can do them best.
We have good machinery.
Allegheny Carpet and Feather Renovating Co.,
823 Pennsylvania ave.

PERSONAL—Do you know that your old tableware, locks, hinges, brass beds can be repaired, replated or refinished and laquered in a first-class manner at
COOKE PLATING WORKS,
110 Sandusky st., Allegheny.

"RICH YOUR APPAREL
as the purse can buy."
Keep your house well dressed, too; that's important.
BYRNE, 634 Fifth ave.

PERSONAL—Allen's Rug Works, 5903 and 5907 Center ave., E. E., can weave your old carpets into fine rugs and druggets; send for circular. 11lepvxh

PERSONAL—Women, ask to see our $4.00 patent kid buttoned or lace shoes. They fit, wear well, easy as a glove. Very handsome. CAIN, 503 Market st.

PERSONAL—When you need printing call up Bell 'phone 81 Fisk, or P. & A. 81 Lawrence, and get H. C. Knapp's prices on good work.

PERSONAL—Spirit medium, seer and healer. Tells everything. Parlors at 308 Grant st., Pittsburgh. Hours 9 a. m. to 9 p. m.

IF you want good painting done, go to a painter who knows his business.
P. J. BYRNE, 634 Fifth ave.

PERSONAL—Massage, Turkish, all forms of baths. Sanitarium, 607 East Lacock st., Allegheny. Spring Garden cars to the door.

PERSONAL—Without a doubt, Knapp does fine printing at 3521 Butler st. See him for any kind of commercial printing.

FOR WOMEN—Very comfortable, stout walking shoes, odds and ends, $4 to $6 quality, at $2.50 only. CAIN, 503 Market.

PERSONAL—Cash paid for old gold and silver; watches repaired and warranted, $1. C. HAUCH, jeweler, 541 Smithfield st. 15ph

PERSONAL—Stammering, tobacco, liquor, opium and other habits cured pleasantly, permanently. Box 347, Pittsburgh.

PERSONAL—Say, do you need billheads? Call up H. C. Knapp, Bell 'phone 81 Fisk. He prints them right.

PERSONAL—Business cards printed properly. H. C. Knapp, 3521 Butler st. Both 'phones.

PERSONAL—Massage, manicuring and all baths. Christie Maxwell, 345 Grant st.

SWEET CASTOR is not a substitute, but pure castor oil made pleasant.

SAVES night walks for papa. SWEET CASTOR.

ONLY pure castor oil used in SWEET CASTOR.

YOUR druggist can get SWEET CASTOR for you.

FOUND.

FOUND—We will repair and replate old tableware, brass stands, lamps, brass beds, bronzes, etc., etc.; giving them a finish almost equal to new; a postal, and we will call.
COOKE PLATING WORKS,
110 Sandusky st., Allegheny.

CALL UP 383 North, both 'phones.
Get prices on renovating
Feathers, mattresses and carpets.
All orders given prompt attention.

FOUND—The White Sewing Machine Co. will adjust and clean any make of sewing machine for $1. Send postal or 'phone White Sewing Machine Co., 122 Sixth st.

FOUND—There is a right and a wrong way. Mr. P. J. Byrne of 634 Fifth ave. tries to paint the right way. Give him a trial. You'll never regret it.

FOUND—For women, our bunion shoe made for enlarged joints, makes life worth living. Buttoned or lace. Broad bottoms. CAIN, 503 Market st.

FOUND—I can rent a White sewing machine for 75 cents a week. Send postal or telephone. White Sewing Machine Co., 122 Sixth st.

FOUND—Printing executed exactly correct by H. C. Knapp, 3521 Butler st. Both 'phones. Commercial Printing Our Specialty.

FOR WOMEN—$4 to $5 quality calf, buttoned and lace, at $2.50 only; worth more. Try them. CAIN, 503 Market st.

FOUND—If you're in business you need printing. H. C. Knapp does fine work. 3521 Butler st. Both 'phones.

FOUND—Pocketbook containing money, 20 months ago, still awaiting claimant. Address O 349, The Gazette.

IF it's good printing you want, see Knapp, 3521 Butler st. Both 'phones.

SWEET CASTOR will not gripe. It contains aromatics.

NEIGHBORS will advise the use of SWEET CASTOR.

THE only genuine SWEET CASTOR—Morris', 10 cents.

SPECIAL.

Silver Plating.
Nickel Plating.
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Copper Plating.
COOKE PLATING WORKS,
110 Sandusky st., Allegheny.

AN OUNCE OF PREVENTION
Better than a pound of cure.
Before the sun and weather cracks, warps or ruins woodwork, or starts the mortar to run from brick work, have them painted.
BYRNE, 634 Fifth ave.

DELAYS ARE DANGEROUS.
This is a great truth when said of painting. Paint your house now, the best season of the year. Send for BYRNE, 634 Fifth ave.

GO away back and sit down. That's what the incompetent painter must do. When you've painting to do send for P. J. BYRNE, 634 Fifth ave.

SEE H. C. KNAPP, 3521 BUTLER ST., for those programs and tickets you wanted printed.

SAVES trouble with the children, SWEET CASTOR.

NO trouble for mothers to give SWEET CASTOR.

LOST.

LOST—Feathers Renovated.
Old ticks laundered.
Beds made into pillows.
Allegheny Carpet & Feather Renovating Co.,
823 Pennsylvania ave.

LOST—Time and money with badly-printed cards; went to H. C. Knapp, the Printer, and got satisfaction. He's the best printer in town. Find him at 3521 Butler st. Both phones.

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LOST—What? Printing? No, we do good work. H. C. Knapp, 3521 Butler st. Both 'phones.

MAMMA can sleep when baby takes SWEET CASTOR.

FOR ADULTS as well as children. SWEET CASTOR.

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STRAYED—Bedroom Suits,
Carpets, Springs and Mattresses,
Couches and Stoves Cheap.
Allegheny Carpet & Feather Renovating Co.,
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MAMMA, give your child what? Only SWEET CASTOR.

MASTER'S SALE.

MASTER'S PARTITION SALE
Of Valuable Pittsburgh Property.

By virtue of a decree of the court of common pleas, No. 3, of Allegheny county, at No. 338 February term, 1901, in equity, in partition, the undersigned master will expose to public sale at the court house on Tuesday, March 11, 1902, at 2 o'clock p. m., the following property, to wit:

All that certain lot of ground situate in the Fourth ward of the city of Pittsburgh, county of Allegheny and state of Pennsylvania, and being the westwardly one-half of lot No. 25 in Col. Wood's plan of said city, bounded and described as follows, to wit: Beginning on the northwardly side of Penn avenue one hundred and twenty (120) feet eastwardly from the northeast corner of Penn avenue and Fourth street, and running thence along Penn avenue eastwardly thirty (30) feet to the center of said lot 25, and extending northwardly, preserving the width of thirty (30) feet between the eastwardly line of lot No. 24 in said plan and the center line of lot No. 25, and parallel with Fourth street, to low water mark on the Allegheny river, subject to whatsoever public easements exist between the said low water mark of said river and the southwardly line of Duquesne way as at present located, together with the use and benefit of that certain alley twenty (20) feet wide, extending from Evans alley westwardly to the eastwardly line of said lands as granted by deed of John McKee and wife to John Bissell, dated 13th of September, 1825, and of record in the recorder's office of Allegheny county in deed book, vol. 37, page 280, and by deed of John McKee and wife to James Wood, dated 13th September, 1825, and of record in the recorder's office of Allegheny county, in deed book, vol. 37, page 282, and having thereon erected a brick dwelling house and other frame buildings.

Terms of Sale—Said lot to be sold subject to the payment by the purchaser of all taxes for the year 1902. Ten (10) per cent of the amount of the bid to be paid in cash on day of sale; the balance in cash on confirmation of sale and delivery of deed.
JAMES S. YOUNG, Master,
432 Diamond st., Pittsburgh, Pa.

MEETINGS.

United States Steel Corporation.
Notice of Annual Meeting.

Notice hereby is given that the first annual meeting of the stockholders of the United States Steel Corporation will be held at the principal office of the corporation at the building of the Hudson Trust Company, No. 51 Newark street, in the City of Hoboken, county of Hudson, New Jersey, on Monday, the seventeenth day of February, 1902, at 12 o'clock noon, for the transaction of any and all business that may come before the meeting, including considering and voting upon the approval of the by-laws as amended, considering and voting upon the approval and ratification of all contracts, acts, by-laws, proceedings, elections and appointments by the board of directors or the executive committee or the finance committee since the organization of the corporation on February 25, 1901, as set forth in the minutes of the board of directors or of the executive or finance committees, including the agreements with Messrs. J. P. Morgan & Co., syndicate managers, dated respectively March 1 and April 1, 1901, and January 2, 1902, the last being an agreement of final settlement and release; the election of eight directors to hold office for three years; and the election of independent auditors to audit the books and accounts of the corporation at the close of the fiscal year.

The stock transfer books will be closed at the close of business on Saturday, the 25th day of January, 1902, and will be reopened at 10 o'clock in the morning of Tuesday, February 18, 1902.

By order of the board of directors.
RICHARD TRIMBLE, Secretary.
Hoboken, New Jersey, January 16, 1902.
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Office of the Monongahela & Ohio River Transportation Company.
January 20, 1902.
To the Stockholders of the Monongahela & Ohio River Transportation Company:
Notice is hereby given that the board of directors of this company has called a special meeting of its stockholders, to be held at the office of the company, No. 321 Wood st., Pittsburgh, Pa., on Monday, the 24th day of March, 1902, from 12 o'clock m. to 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of voting for or against an increase of the capital stock of said company from $25,000 to $75,000.
121j127un W. I. MUSTIN, Secretary.

LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application will be made to the governor of the commonwealth of Pennsylvania on Thursday, February 20, 1902, by Robert McCoy, D. E. Corbett and H. E. Shidle, under the act of assembly of the commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April 29, 1874, and the supplements thereto, for the charter of an intended corporation to be called "The Robert McCoy Company," the character and object of which is the wholesale dealing in general merchandise, groceries and grocers' supplies of all kinds, and for these purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges of the said act of assembly and its supplements thereto. R. A. & James Balph, Solicitors.

S. S. ROBERTSON, Attorney-at-Law, No. 518 Fourth ave., Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Rawe Gold, deceased, late of Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. Wilson Weir, Executor, No. 421 East Lacock st., Allegheny, Pa. 27us

W. H. DODDS, Attorney-at-Law, No. 518 Fourth ave., Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that letters of administration c. t. a. on the estate of Joseph C. Beam, deceased, late of Eptom, Allegheny county, Pa., have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. Amos Beam, Administrator, Eptom P. O., Allegheny county, Pa. 127us

E. J. SMAIL, Attorney, 440 Diamond st. State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss. In the court of common pleas No. 1, No. 490 June term, 1901. Emily Crawford Nalley, by James Crawford, her next friend, vs. Stephen Cyrus Nalley. In divorce a vinculo matrimonii. To Stephen Cyrus Nalley, respondent: You will please take notice that the undersigned, having been appointed commissioner to take the testimony in the above case and report the same to court, will attend to the duties of his appointment at the office of E. J. Smail, Esq., Room 512 Bakewell Law building, No. 440 Diamond st., Pittsburgh, Pa., on Wednesday, March 12, 1902, at 2 o'clock p. m., when and where you may attend if you see proper. John F. Edmundson, Commissioner. 210ul

PATTERSON, STERRETT & ACHESON, Attorneys-at-Law. Notice is hereby given that ancillary letters of administration c. t. a. on the estate of Bertie Woods Crowthers, deceased, late of Hamilton county, state of Ohio, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. Robert Coulter Crowther, Ancillary Administrator, Room 927 Carnegie building, Pittsburgh, Pa. 210us

T. H. DAVIS, Attorney-at-Law, 435 Diamond street. Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Charlotte Buente, deceased, late of Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. Henry G. Miller, Administrator, 835 Douglass place, Allegheny, Pa.

A. M. & THOMAS M. BROWN, Attorneys-at-Law, No. 433 Fifth ave., Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of John W. G. Smith, deceased, late of Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. Gustav A. Smith, Executor, Liberty ave. and Evaline st., Pittsburgh. 2ius

CLARENCE BURLEIGH, Attorney-at-Law. Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Christopher Zug, deceased, late of Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. Chas. H. Zug, Chas. H. Reid, James Marshall, Jr., Executors. Pittsburgh, Jan. 18, 1902. 120us

PROPOSALS.

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at the office of the board of public service, Cincinnati, Ohio, until 12 o'clock noon of Monday, February 24, A. D. 1902, for superstructure work in connection with bridge over Mill creek at Spring Grove avenue, in accordance with the specifications on file in the office of the board of public service and plans on file in the office of the chief engineer of the board of public service.

Superstructure will consist of single-span deck bridge, with three arch trusses, 128 feet ½ inch center to center of end pins, with rise of 14 feet 2 inches at center of span. Length will be 177 feet 4 inches end to end of floor for roadway, 40 feet between curbs, with asphalt pavement on buckle plates, and sidewalks on each side 10 feet wide, with cement pavement on buckle plates. Bridge will have skew of 22 degrees and 30 minutes.

The board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Bidders must indorse their names and address on the outside of envelopes containing their proposals.

Each bid must be accompanied by surety, as required by the specifications.

Bidders must use forms for proposals accompanying specifications.

Copies of specifications, form of proposal, bonds and contract can be obtained at the office of the chief engineer of the board of public service at the city hall, Cincinnati, O.

By direction of the board.
ROBERT ALLISON, President.
GEO. F. HOLMES, Clerk. 210ug

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at the office of the board of public service, Cincinnati, Ohio, until 12 o'clock noon of Monday, February 24, A. D. 1902, for superstructure work in connection with St. Clair Street bridge, from Euclid avenue to Eden avenue, in accordance with specifications on file in the office of the board of public service and plans on file in the office of the chief engineer of the board of public service.

The work will consist of three steel deck spans of seventy-five (75) feet each, supported on steel columns, and braced extensions for trusses, making a total length of three hundred and forty-eight (348) feet. Roadway will be seventeen (17) feet, with sidewalks six and one-half (6½) feet on each side of roadway, making total width thirty (30) feet.

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PROPOSALS FOR COAL—Mississippi River Commission, Fullerton Building, St. Louis, Mo., Feb. 12, 1902.—Sealed proposals, in triplicate, for furnishing 300,000 bushels coal in barges, will be received here until 12 noon, standard time, March 15, 1902, and then publicly opened. Information furnished on application. G. P. Howell, Capt. Eng'rs, Sec'y.

DIVIDENDS.

Office of National Fire Proofing Company.
Pittsburgh, Pa., Feb. 13, 1902.
DIVIDEND—The directors this day declared the regular quarterly dividend of ONE AND ONE-QUARTER (1¼) PER CENT on the common shares, payable on February 25, 1902, to stockholders of record February 15, 1902. Checks will be mailed. Books will be closed from 15th to 25th inclusive. On account of proposed increase in the capital stock, both preferred and common stock books will be closed during the time mentioned.
C. G. JONES, Secretary.

DETECTIVE AGENCY.

M'SWEENEY'S Interstate Detective Agency, 425 Diamond st., Pittsburgh, Pa., transacts a general detective business. All communications strictly confidential.

AUCTION SALES.

AUCTION SALE

FURNITURE, CARPETS, RUGS, UPRIGHT PIANO, CLOCKS, BEDDING, PICTURES, DRESSING TABLE, WRINGERS, DISHES, PORTIERES, PARLOR CABINET, ETC., TUESDAY, FEB. 18, AT 10 O'CLOCK AT THE ROOMS OF HENRY AUCTION CO., 124-126 NINTH ST.

The furnishment of a large residence on our floors, containing a fine leather library suite and couch, good upright piano, chamber suites and iron beds, bookcases, parlor suits, pictures, clocks, portieres, sideboard and chairs, mahogany dressing table, wringers, dishes, bedding, toilet ware, springs and mattresses.

Also at 1 o'clock sharp we offer a large consignment of new misfit velvet carpets.
HENRY AUCTION CO.,
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If there is anything about our methods that you do not like, we will value your opinion.

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Salary Loans on Private Notes.

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Amounts Between $10.00 and $100.00.

We Give
Rebates for Every $1 Paid Off Loan.

We Remain
Open Saturday Eve. to 9 O'clock.

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As Low Rates, As Easy Payments.

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On diamonds, watches, firearms and good clothing, lowest rates and liberal loans.
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MONEY TO LOAN at lowest rates on mortgages from $100 up to any amount.
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LAWTON MORTGAGE COMPANY, 219 Fourth ave., has a large selection of mortgages on hand for sale. Our opportunity for selecting good securities is unexcelled, and we have the largest list of securities in Western Pennsylvania.

GOOD 6 per cent loans are accepted at this office at once, and on reasonable terms. We advance money during process of construction where desired.
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We have several sums to loan on first mortgage on central business property in the city.
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for choicest residence or business loans with ample margin.
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MONEY TO LOAN at lowest rates, with privilege of payment in installments as borrower may find convenient.
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THE RENT YOU PAY
WILL BUY A
LINCOLN PARK HOME,
A REFINED, HIGH-CLASS LOCATION,
AT MODERATE COST:
For From $3,650 to $4,500.

The most complete, most attractive, new modern brick houses in the city for the money—buff and red bricks—7 and 9 rooms and attics—complete bath—open nickel plumbing—laundry and laundry tubs, range, hardwood cabinet mantels, china closet, small reception hall, pantry, enameled sink and tubs, beautifully papered, chandeliers, cemented cellar, porches and on fine wide streets.
The same houses sell elsewhere
FOR $6,500.
Terms to suit—Monthly or Quarterly payments.
Take Lincoln or Liberty Ave. Cars.
D. BEHEN SONS, 4700 Penn Ave.

Choice
Shadyside Residence
FOR SALE.
Lately finished. Twelve rooms, two bathrooms, besides servants' bathroom, pantries, laundry.
Well Finished
Hardwood floors. Very complete and up to date. Immediate possession. [illegible]ford, near Morewood Avenues.
For permit see
W. A. HERRON & SONS,
327-329 Fourth Ave.

TO LET OR FOR SALE—
Manufacturing Site.
Five acres, large building, Cupola, Engine, R. R. Siding. Bridgewater, Beaver Co., Pa. Information from
W. A. HERRON & SON.,
327-329 Fourth Ave.

OFFICIAL—ALLEGHENY.

Office of City Clerks,
City of Allegheny, Pa.,
February 10, 1902.
NOTICE is hereby given that the following ordinance was presented at a meeting of common council of the city of Allegheny on the 6th day of February, 1902, and was referred to committee on public works.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and ordering the grading, paving and curbing of Bailey street, Eleventh ward, from Richardson avenue to the new line of California avenue, and providing for assessment and collection of the cost and expense thereof.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the grading, paving and curbing of Bailey street, Eleventh ward, from Richardson avenue to the new line of California avenue, is hereby authorized and ordered, and the director of the department of public works is hereby instructed to prepare specifications therefor, and the city recorder and the said director are authorized to advertise for proposals for doing said work in accordance with such specifications, and award the contract therefor, according to the provisions of the acts of assembly in such cases made and provided.

The cost and expense of said improvement to be assessed and collected in accordance with the provisions of the laws of the commonwealth of Pennsylvania pertaining thereto and regulating the same.

Sec. 2. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

QUENTIN MATSYS BLACKSMITH, AN ARTIST IN IRON

Canopy of Well in Antwerp Attests His Artistic Conceptions.

INCIDENT IN GRAND TOUR

An Almost Forgotten Antwerp That Has Disappeared—Named for City the Teachers Will Visit—Care Should Be Taken in All Matters.

Art in blacksmithing is rare, so rare, indeed, that especially awkward journeymen in other crafts are dubbed "blacksmiths." But there is such a thing as artistic blacksmithing. Iron and steel may be wrought into beautiful forms and are by those who have art in their souls. Many years ago there lived in Antwerp, Belgium, an artist who followed the trade of blacksmith. His name was Quentin Matsys. His masterpiece was an ornamental canopy for a well which is shown to tourists to this day as one of the things they cannot afford to miss in the great Belgian city.

Quentin Matsys' well is just outside the Cathedral of Antwerp, near the tower, where it has stood for centuries, a witness to the fact that a blacksmith may be an artist without deserting his hammer and anvil.

An Almost Forgotten Antwerp.

Probably few people are aware that there was once an Antwerp in Pennsylvania, but there was. For nearly two years it was a place of some consequence, having a population of 2,000 or 3,000. This particular Antwerp was wiped out by fire and was never rebuilt. It was an oil town in Clarion county, named by the late Marcus Hullings in honor of the great Antwerp in Europe, which was then a chief port for the petroleum exported from this country. Just at present more oil finds its way to the lamps of the European peasants through the port of Bremen, though Antwerp retains its trade. The difference is that the total exports of petroleum to Europe have grown much more rapidly than those through the port of Antwerp, which will be visited by the teachers who take the grand tour of Europe offered by The Pittsburgh Gazette and The Chronicle Telegraph, who will see Quentin Matsys' artistic well, the Antwerp cathedral, the oil docks and many other things that should interest them.

Care and System.

Some packages of ballots of Series B have arrived since the expiration of the time limit, midnight on Saturday. This is to be regretted, for it is a pity to lose votes that have been collected. There have also been some ballots not properly filled out. The fault, however, does not lie with The Pittsburgh Gazette and Chronicle Telegraph. They have done their share in offering the most liberal itinerary ever proposed by any newspapers to a large number of persons, and it rests with candidates and voters to see that ballots are marked right and deposited within the time limit.

It is also desired that correspondents writing for information should not send their letters inclosed with ballots, as they may be delayed by that means in reaching the proper person. Nothing should be inclosed with ballots. The Excursion Department is endeavoring to give prompt attention to every branch of its business, but is not responsible for failure if its correspondents mix matters when communicating with it. Such mixing causes delay all around.

Rules to Be Observed.

Ballots must be voted in series; those of one series must be deposited before midnight of the day the succeeding series closes. They must be filled out legibly, with full name of teacher, school where employed, town and county. They should be kept in good condition and sent in flat, not rolled or crumbled. If torn or mutilated they will not be counted.

The tour will be of more than six weeks' duration. Starts at Pittsburgh July 3; leaves New York July 5, by Atlantic transport line steamer; arrive London July 15; Antwerp, July 19; Brussels, July 20; Amsterdam, July 22; Cologne, July 24; Mayence, July 25; Heidelberg, July 26; Lucerne, July 28; The Rigi, July 29; Interlaken, July 30; Paris, August 1; London, August 6; Highlands, August 8; Glasgow, August 8; leaves Glasgow by Anchor Line steamer Columbia, August 9; expect to arrive in New York August 17.

Who Will Be Taken.

The party will be composed of 25 teachers of the public schools, i. e., persons engaged in teaching in schools supported by public funds. These will be appointed as follows: Twelve from the cities of Pittsburgh and Allegheny, six from Allegheny county outside of the two cities, and seven from those parts of Pennsylvania, Ohio and West Virginia outside of Allegheny county, but within the territory covered by the daily deliveries of The Pittsburgh Gazette and Chronicle Telegraph. They will be elected by the readers of these papers. Those having the largest votes in their respective divisions will be declared elected.

All expenses of the tour will be borne by The Pittsburgh Gazette and Chronicle Telegraph, and these papers will give each member of the party $50 in cash to gratify individual tastes. Representatives of the papers will accompany the party to arrange routes and look after the comfort of the guests.

The contest will close May 31, and the result will be announced as soon after all of the votes are in as possible. Ballots from The Pittsburgh Gazette and Chronicle Telegraph will count one vote each, and those from The Sunday Gazette will count for three votes each. The ballots will be found at the top of the second page in each issue, and attention is directed to the terms and conditions printed thereon. The whole ballot, including border, must be sent in.

Express your disapproval of extravagance and inefficiency by voting against the machine.

POLICE COURT HEARINGS.

Magistrate McKenna Had to Dispose of the Great Majority of Cases Yesterday morning.

There were 124 persons in the police courts of Pittsburgh and Allegheny yesterday morning. In Central police court Magistrate Bernard McKenna was called upon to dispose of 82 of them. Matthew Bell, colored, who is accused of peddling bogus tax receipts on the hill Saturday night, was held until this morning. William Laughren was also held until today to await the result of injuries he is said to have inflicted upon Walter Herd during a fight at No. 193 Third avenue Saturday night. Herd was severely cut about the head and neck and is in the Homeopathic hospital.

Nellie Kirby paid $25 on a charge of keeping a disorderly house at No. 609 Fifth avenue. Five visitors arrested there paid $5 each. Mrs. P. J. Singers of No. 5 Colwell street, May Barrett of No. 47 Colwell street, and Ella McKnight of No. 52 Colwell street will be given hearings this morning on charges of keeping disorderly houses. Seven vagrants were sent to the Workhouse for 30 days for begging.

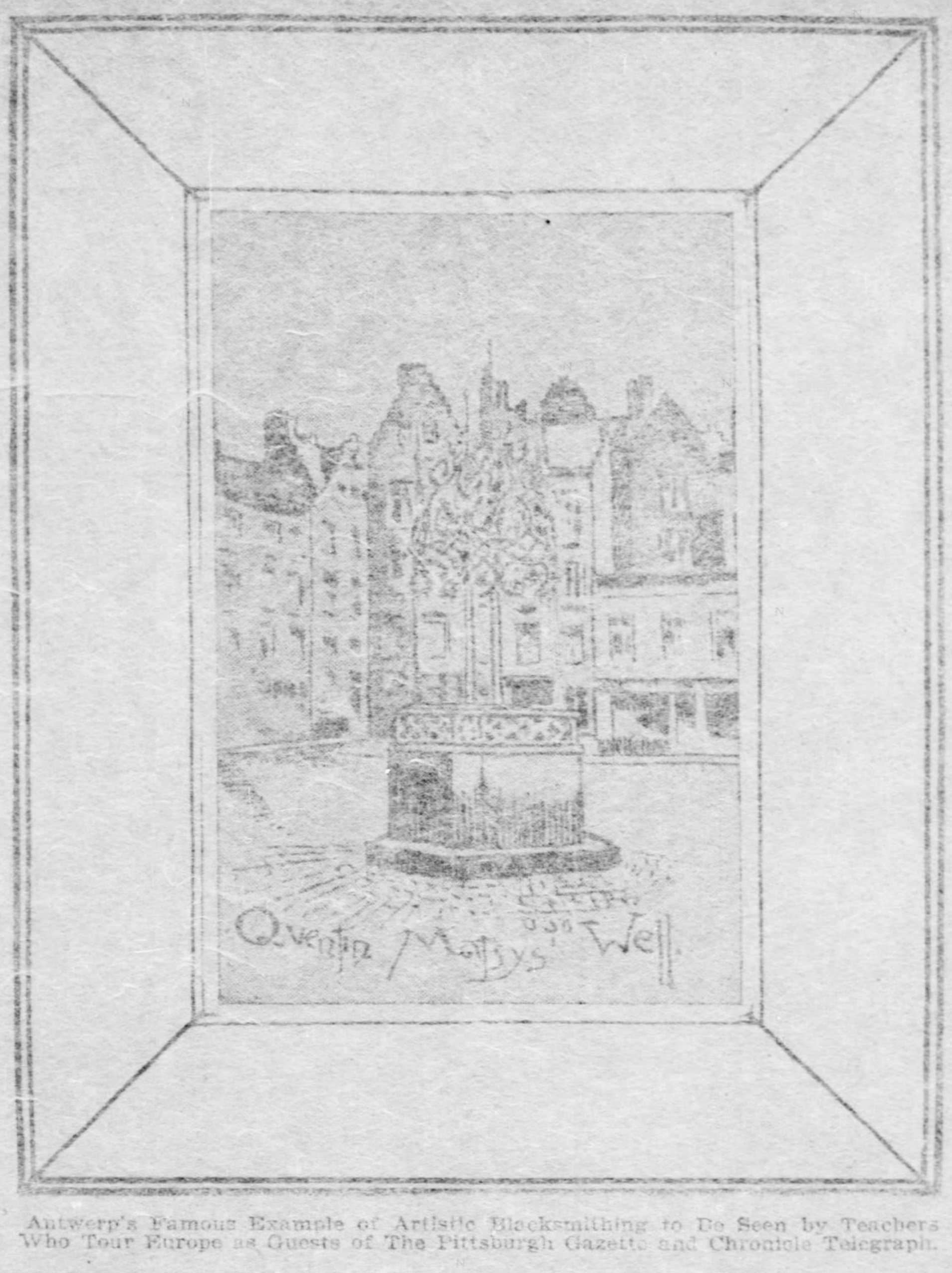
Magistrate James V. McMasters in Penn avenue police court fined Philip Bulger $100 on a charge of keeping a disorderly house at No. 1623 Penn avenue.

A vote for the machine is a vote for higher taxes and more bonds.

President's Cousin to Sing.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 16.—(Special.)—President Roosevelt's cousin, Miss Cornelia Roosevelt Scoville, will sing at the Waldorf-Astoria on Friday next. The White House naturally is interested in the success of the young lady, but it is not expected that anyone representing the president will attend the event.

Rebuke the political dickerers.



Antwerp's Famous Example of Artistic Blacksmithing to Be Seen by Teachers Who Tour Europe as Guests of The Pittsburgh Gazette and Chronicle Telegraph.

THE THREE RIVERS.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

CINCINNATI, Feb. 16.—River at 6 p. m., 9.8 feet and falling slowly. Clear and cold, with high winds. Navigation is still suspended and the ice is as heavy as ever. The gorge at the Kentucky span of the Chesapeake & Ohio bridge is still there, and if the weather continues as cold as in the past the river will be totally closed here. Light ice is reported from Portsmouth on account of the closing of the stream at Carrs Landing and Sliding Hill, above that city. The Relief had her wheel repaired today, which was injured by going through the ice in this harbor.

LOUISVILLE—River falling; canal, 5.6 feet; falls, 3.4 feet; foot of locks, 9.2 feet. Clear and moderating. No boats. No business. A rain or thaw would soon produce a rise sufficient to carry off the ice. Considerable ice in the harbor, but both chutes on the falls are open and ice is flowing freely.

EVANSVILLE—River falling; 12.3 feet. Cloudy and warmer. No business. Not a boat running today.

WHEELING—River 5 feet 9 inches, nine inches of which is backwater from the gorge at Moundsville. Rising. Ice continues to pass here. Cloudy and warmer.

OIL CITY—River 3 feet 6 inches and stationary. Clear and milder.

BROWNSVILLE—River closed. Cloudy and warmer.

MORGANTOWN—River 8 feet and closed. Cloudy and warmer.

GREENSBORO—River 7 feet and stationary. River closed. Cloudy and cold.

WARREN—River .9 of a foot. Fair and cold.

STEUBENVILLE—River 4 feet and stationary. Cloudy and cold.

GALLIPOLIS—River 4 feet 5 inches and stationary. Clear and cold.

PARKERSBURG—River 5.4 feet and falling. Clear and cold. Boats all icebound.

POINT PLEASANT—River 4 feet 5 inches and falling. Partly cloudy and cold.

Vote for the Citizens' ticket and against the use of public patronage to corrupt and intimidate voters.

Drygoods.

MANCHESTER, Feb. 16.—Business on the cloth market during the past week has been difficult to arrange the strength of cotton at Liverpool, causing firmness, and merchants are backward about paying advances. The rise of cotton at Liverpool and New York is generally attributed to bear coverings. Some slackening in the demand for cloth is expected, most of the eastern markets having secured supplies for months ahead. Shippers to some parts of South America report an improved state of trade. Yarns generally were poor during the week. The demand was irregular and business was mostly of a retail character.

Vote against the Stone-Flinn ticket and the manipulation of contracts for the favored few.

Foreign Bank Statements.

MADRID, Feb. 16.—The report of the Bank of Spain for the week ended yesterday shows the following: Gold in hand, increase, 53,000 pesetas; silver in hand, increase, 962,000 pesetas; notes in circulation, decrease, 4,774,000 pesetas.

Get your vote in early, and then remind your neighbor.

Whisky.

CINCINNATI, O., Feb. 15.—Whisky, distillers' finished goods, steady on a basis of $1 31.

Use only the Citizens' ticket for voting purposes.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CENTRAL LIVE STOCK YARDS.

Saturday, Feb. 15, 1902.

Cattle—Supply light; market steady. Choice, 1,400 to 1,600 lbs., $6 50@6 75; prime, 1,200 to 1,400 lbs., $6 25@6 40; good, $5 60@6 00; tidy butchers', $5 25@5 75; fair, 900 to 1,000 lbs., $4 25@5 10; heifers, $3 75@5 25; fat cows, $2 00@4 75; bulls and stags, $3 50@4 75; common to choice, fresh cows, $30 00@65 00.

Hogs—Receipts light, demand good; market active and a shade higher on all grades except heavy hogs and pigs, which are steady. Prime heavies, $6 40@6 45; best mediums, $6 35@6 40; heavy Yorkers, $6 25@6 30; light Yorkers, $6 00@6 15; pigs, $5 60@5 75; roughs, $5 00@6 00.

Sheep—Supply light; market steady. Best wethers, 95 to 100 lbs., $5 25@5 50; good, 85 to 90 lbs., $4 90@5 20; mixed, $4 00@4 65; culls and common, $2 00@3 50; yearlings, $4 50@5 75; choice lambs, $6 30@6 50; common to good, $4 50@6 25; veal calves, $7 00@8 00; heavy and thin, $4 50@5 50.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 16.—Receipts for the week: Cattle, 2,403 head; sheep, 8,743 head; hogs, 3,539 head. Cattle—Good stock fairly steady, but common grades a trifle easier; best, $6 25@6 50; choice, $5 87@6 00; good, $5 50@5 75; medium, $5 12@5 25; common, $4 62@4 87. Sheep and lambs—Choice selection of sheep active and prices firmer; lambs dull but prices steady; sheep, extra, $5 50@5 60; good, $5 00@5 25; medium, $4 25@4 50; common, $2 00@3 00; lambs, $4 50@6 75. Hogs—Good demand and prices firm; western, $8 75@9 00. Fat cows, $3 00@4 00; thin cows, $2 00@2 75; veal calves steadily held at $8 00@7 00; extra choice, $7 50@8 50; common, $4 00@5 00; milch cows of finest offerings, $40@50; common to fair neglected at $20@30; dressed steers, 8@9¾c; dressed cows, 5@7½c; dressed sheep, 7@9½c; dressed lambs, 10@12c.

NEW YORK, Feb. 15.—Beeves—Receipts, 46 head; no sales reported; dressed beef steady; city dressed native sides, 7@10c per pound; cables last received quoted American steers at 13@13½c, dressed weights; sheep at 12@12½c, dressed weights; lambs at 13½@14c, dressed weights; exports today partly estimated, 1,724 head cattle, 10 head sheep and 8,535 quarters of beef. Calves—Receipts, 165 head; quoted lower; some reported unsold; a few ordinary veals sold at $8 00; Maryland calves at $7 50; two cars western at $3 25@3 85. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 1,695 head; sheep firm; lambs about steady; some stock, mainly late arrivals, carried over; sheep sold at $4 00@5 00 per 100 pounds; lambs at $6 25@6 75; dressed mutton, 7@9c per pound; dressed lambs, 9@11c. Hogs—Receipts, 769 head; weak.

CHICAGO, Feb. 15.—Cattle—Receipts, 200 head; nominal; good to prime steers, $6 50@7 25; poor to medium, $4 00@6 25; stockers and feeders, $3 50@4 60; cows, $1 25@5 00; heifers, $2 50@5 25; canners, $1 25@2 25; bulls, $2 50@4 60; calves, $3 50@7 25; Texas fed steers, $4 25@5 75. Hogs—Receipts today, 22,000 head; Monday, 44,000 head; left over, 7,500 head; opened steady to strong, closed weak; mixed and butchers', $5 75@6 30; good to choice heavy, $6 25@6 42½; rough heavy, $5 90@6 20; light, $5 50@5 85; bulk of sales, $5 85@6 20. Sheep—Receipts, 2,000 head; steady; good to choice wethers, $4 75@5 25; western sheep, $4 50@6 00; native lambs, $3 75@6 75; western lambs, $5 25@6 75.

EAST BUFFALO, Feb. 15.—Cattle—Receipts light and mostly consigned through; veals lower at $5 50@8 50; fancy, $9 00. Hogs—Receipts, 6,500 head; fairly active but 5@10c lower; heavy, $6 45@6 55; mixed and medium, $6 20@6 40; pigs, $5 65@5 75; roughs, $5 40@5 70; stags, $4 00@4 50. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 7,200 head; 5@10c lower for lambs; sheep easier; tops, mixed, $4 90@5 15; culls, to good, $3 50@4 80; wethers, $5 25@5 50; yearlings, $5 25@5 75; top lambs, $6 50@6 55; culls to good, $4 25@6 45.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 15.—Hogs active and strong at $5 00@6 45. Cattle strong at $2 25@5 85. Sheep strong at $2 75@5 50; lambs strong at $4 75@6 25.

Vote for the Citizens' ticket and street pavements that will last.

A Poor Week for Sensations.

To extract the mildest kind of a sensation out of the developments in the lower southwest fields during the past week would be drawing on the imagination. They were not present in any form, consequently this review of the week will be confined to routine, instead of strictly new discoveries in territory outside of defined limits.

In volume of work and results attained the Marshall county, W. Va., development still maintains the lead.

Fish creek, northeast of the "Little Germany," is presenting some very good producers and developments in this locality are attracting the most attention. In this section is located the best producers. It was thought for a time that the wells, owing to the loose, open sand formation, need not be shot, but when the experiment was tried last week the result was so beneficial that the wells in that district will, in the future, be given the same treatment. A small shot, 10 or 15 quarts, answers the purpose. The South Penn Oil Company's test on the Andrew Corbley farm was shot and its production increased from 100 to 240 barrels the ensuing 24 hours.

One mile northeast of the "Little Germany" district, the South Penn Oil Company drilled in its test well on the William Mason farm and secured a 80-barrel producer. The location, rather than the size, is the important feature, since it shows a connecting link between the two developments and insures paying producing wells all along the intervening space. The South Penn Oil Company also drilled in and shot its No. 5 on the William Gray farm, in the lower end of the Cameron district, and has a 40-barrel producer. This well is slightly in advance of developments to the southwest and brings this and the Fish Creek district a little closer. Test wells now drilling and some due this week will develop whether or not the two pools connect.

Northeast of the Bristoria development, in Greene county, the South Penn has put its wildcat on the D. A. McCracken farm to pumping and after a three days' trial the well is scheduled as a 25-barrel producer. This is by no means a bad showing and those holding leases in that locality are somewhat hopeful that a new pool will in time be developed. Greene county, it should be remembered, has been fruitful in disappointments and this may add another to the long list. In any event it is deep sand territory and the average operator will not take long chances involving so great an outlay.

South and one-fourth of a mile in advance of the Bealls Mills development, in Lewis county, the South Penn Oil Company drilled in its test well on the William Griggs farm and has a 40-barrel producer in the stray and Gordon. This well shows an extension the distance named and stands a chance to get an increase in production when drilled to the fifth sand, in which it is now due.

On the west side of the same development Harvey Hilton and others drilled in a second test well on the Martha Beall farm and have a 30-barrel producer. It was thought this side of the pool had been defined. While the extensions to this development are not large they make room for additional wells and will call for a continuance of operations.

A little flutter of excitement was stirred up in Wirt county by reports sent out that the Midnight Oil Company had made a 25-barrel strike on Grieves run at a depth of 1,200 feet. Later reports, however, showed that the first were very much exaggerated and that only a small show of oil had been developed and that the well would be drilled deeper in search of a better producing formation.

One mile north of the fifth sand development, in Gilmer county, on Sand Fork creek, the South Penn Oil Company drilled in a well on the W. E. Lively farm that is good for 30 barrels a day and makes brighter the prospects for better producers in that quarter.

Southeastern Ohio.

On the Ohio side the only discovery of any importance was made by the Anderson Farm Oil Company, located on a branch of Clear Fork creek, southeast of the Graysville development four miles. The well is rated as good for 50 barrels a day in the Keener sand and is thought to open a new pool, instead of as at first thought, showed an extension to the Graysville development. Since the decline of the Big Lima producer on the Spiry farm, Southeastern Ohio is without a well producing 100 or more barrels a day.

The little development—properly an extension of the old Turkey Foot field—across the state line in Hancock county, W. Va., is attracting some attention. The production has now reached about 300 barrels a day and promises to increase. The best producers reach 50 barrels a day.

The Burgettstown extension, in Washington county, is still active, but the recent wells are coming in light and the producing area of the territory may be regarded as defined.

All efforts to find production in the Speechley sand outside of the Troutman district, in Butler county, is proving futile. In the old district but one well, a producer, was completed during the week.

Shipments and Runs.

Shipments and runs of the Pennsylvania, Ohio and Indiana fields up to and including February 14:

PENNSYLVANIA OIL.

SHIPMENTS.		RUNS.	
February 14..	72,547	February 14..	74,201
Previously	1,049,510	Previously	825,204
Total	1,122,057	Total	899,405
Daily average.	80,147	Daily average.	64,243

LIMA OIL.

SHIPMENTS.		RUNS.	
February 14..	59,467	February 14..	Not rptd.
Previously	781,349	Previously	543,929
Daily average.	60,058		

The Oil Market

The Standard Oil Company's price for credit balances was unchanged yesterday at $1 15. The Producers and Refiners' also paid $1 15.

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VIEWS DIFFER ON POSITION OF PAUNCEFOTE

Some Diplomats Accept His Explanation of the Intervention Note.

OTHERS SAY HE MUST GO

Officials of the State Department and the British Embassy Are Apparently Satisfied—English Ambassador May Be Relieved.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 16.—Diplomats in Washington are wondering if the recent disclosures in connection with Lord Pauncefote's part in the international movement to intervene to prevent war with Spain will have any effect upon his stay in Washington. So far as this government is concerned there is no intention to take action. The state department is inclined to think that there is some ground for the ambassador's claim that in urging that another note be addressed to the United States he acted, not upon his own initiative, as asserted by Herr von Holleben, the German ambassador, and other diplomats in their dispatches to their governments, but upon that of the Austrian minister.

Officials of the British embassy say that the British government is entirely satisfied with Lord Pauncefote's procedure and has no intention of punishing him in any way.

Question of Responsibility.

Other members of the diplomatic corps say that the British government must either relieve Lord Pauncefote or take upon itself the responsibility for his efforts to induce the powers to take further action looking to intervention after the late President McKinley had rejected the first note presented.

Aside from the international importance achieved by the quarrel between Great Britain and Germany to prove that the other was unfriendly to this country, diplomats here are interested because Lord Pauncefote is the dean of the diplomatic corps. Should Lord Pauncefote be relieved, then Herr von Holleben, the next senior ambassador, will succeed him as dean. Herr von Holleben is consequently greatly interested in the future movements of his colleagues.

Old Enough to Retire.

The British ambassador is already beyond the age when diplomats in the British service are retired. Queen Victoria continued him in Washington and King Edward confirmed her action. It was rumored today that the ambassador would certainly be retired in April, but this was denied at the embassy, where it is said the matter is entirely in the hands of the British minister of foreign affairs.

Lord Pauncefote has not been in his usual good health for some time, and it was suggested today that he might not be unwilling to retire. Lord Pauncefote's friends say, however, that the ambassador would regret to retire at this time because his relief from the embassy here would be construed as a disapproval by his government of his course in connection with the intervention negotiations just before the Spanish war.

A vote for the Citizens ticket is a vote for pure water and adequate fire protection.

REMEMBERED THE MAINE.

Services in Commemoration of Great Disaster Held by Y. M. C. A. at New Britain, Conn.

NEW BRITON, CONN., Feb. 16.—Services under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A. were held in this city today in observance of the anniversary of the blowing up of the Maine in Havana harbor.

Capt. Richmond P. Hobson was the principal speaker. He said that the United States should be the peace arbiter for the whole world, and he was of the opinion that this country was in a position to prevent wars between foreign nations and should do so.

Vote for the Citizens' ticket and against the use of public patronage to corrupt and intimidate voters.

Marksmen at Palm Beach.

PALM BEACH, FLA., Feb. 16.—(Special.)—The Beach Gun club has just been organized and a committee of three chosen to act. They will choose four others, making seven in all, to draw up a set of rules and vote on names presented. Those on the original committee are Messrs. John D. Crimmins, Jr., Harry Suydam of New York and Henry Disston of Philadelphia. Among the other shots here are Mr. Yale Dolan of Philadelphia and Mr. Theodore Hostetter of Pittsburgh.

Rebuke the political dickerers.

Borchgrevink's Reminiscences.

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—Charles F. Borchgrevink, the Antarctic explorer, arrived in New York today on the steamship Etruria. Tonight he told in an interview of how, in 1899, he and a party of scientists had reached 78 degrees and 50 minutes south latitude, about 800 miles from the south pole, and the most extreme southern point that any man has ever reached.

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CONTRACT GIVEN FOR BIG PLANT

CONSOLIDATED ICE COMPANY WILL ERECT SOUTH SIDE FACTORY.

Building Must Be Completed by May 15, and Machinery Will Be Immediately Installed—When Completed the Plant Will Cost $140,000.

Architect F. J. Osterling has awarded the contract to William Miller & Sons, general contractors, of Pittsburgh for the construction of the big new South Side plant of the Consolidated Ice Company, at South Twenty-first street and the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie railroad crossing. Under the terms of the contract William Miller & Sons agree to complete the building within 90 days, or before May 15. Upon failure to execute the work in this time the contractors agree to forfeit $100 for each additional day.

This will be one of the most complete ice factories ever built in the Pittsburgh district. It will have every conceivable improvement for the rapid production and handling of artificial ice. Aside from the capacity of the plant for producing 125 tons of manufactured ice daily, storage facilities for 1,200 tons will be provided.

Railroad Connections.

Direct railroad connections for the plant with the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie railroad and the Monongahela division of the Pennsylvania will be had. For the shipping facilities every convenience has been arranged. Ice will be loaded and unloaded promptly and directly at the terminal platforms.

Facilities have been provided for loading 30 wagons at one time in a platform over 145 feet long. It will be possible to load 30 tons of ice in wagons in as many minutes. This plant will supply the trade out Second avenue, in Hazelwood and adjacent districts by crossing the Twenty-second street bridge, besides serving for a portion of the South Side trade.

The fire-proof building of the plant will have a steel superstructure with walls of brick. All exterior walls will be of extraordinary thickness, to give the plant a high degree of permanency.

Will Cost $140,000.

The building will have facilities for the care of 58 head of horses, and 25 ice wagons.

The contract of William Miller & Sons, who have done much of the most extensive building contracting in Pittsburgh in years past, is for the ice plant building alone. The contract figures approximate $47,000. Machinery and equipment to be installed to complete the works will add at least $70,000, making the entire cost, including the site, about $140,000.

This afternoon the annual meeting of the Consolidated Ice Company will be held. It is expected that the following directors will be selected for the year: M. K. McMullin, Andrew W. Mellon, James McAfee, Thomas M. Rees, John S. Craig, W. V. Callery and George V. von Bonnhorst.

Rebuke the political dickerers.

PITTSBURGH PARKS WELL PATRONIZED

Crowds Were Greater Than for Many Weeks Past. Preparing Conservatories for Easter Display.

Visitors to the parks yesterday were in greater numbers than for many Sundays past. Although the afternoon was dark and murky from overhanging smoke the weather was mild and pleasant. At the Highland zoo the monkey houses were well filled until the place closed.

At the Carnegie art galleries the crowd was the largest since they have been reopened. The museum had also its full compliment of visitors, many of whom were strangers. The free organ recital, which was conducted by Edward J. Napier, was one of the most successful of the season, and the attendance was very good.

At the Phipps conservatories there was a constant stream of people during the afternoon. The flowers are all under way, and there will be a fine display of Easter blossoms. Supt. William Falconer said: "On account of the comparatively sunless weather we cannot expect to get as brilliantly colored flowers in March as we would be likely to have had we the brighter and sunnier month of April. We expect, however, to have a very fine display."

One of the problems that is being worked out at the conservatory is that of ridding the palm house of the "Schenley" canary, better known as the English sparrow. On account of the long severe spell of cold weather there are thousands of the pugnacious little birds in the palm house. "The serious question we now have," said Supt. Falconer yesterday, "is how to get rid of the birds. We don't like to poison them, but will try to trap them for the benefit of the cat animals in the zoo."

The entire fern wall in the palm house has been rebuilt and replanted. New wire netting has been put in which has been filled with moss in which has been planted ferns, begonias and wall creeping plants.

Vote against the Stone-Flinn ticket and bond issues to lie in the banks.

Successful Musical Drama.

BERLIN, Feb. 16.—Weingartner's musical drama entitled "Orestes" was produced for the first time yesterday evening at Leipsig. It was pronounced a splendid success.

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Geo. [illegible], [illegible]
Geo. W. [illegible], No. 3600 Penn Ave., Pgh.
E. E. Heck, Cor. Jancey and Smithfield Sts., Pgh.
Kerscher Drug Co., Federal and Lacock Sts., Allg.
McLain & Richard, Duquesne, Pa.
A. C. Anderson, McKeesport, Pa.
[illegible], Cor. North Ave. and Federal St., Allg.
John R. Ellis, McKeesport, Pa.
Ed. J. Johnston, [illegible] St. and Penn Ave., Pgh.
W. M. Cook, [illegible]
R. M. Totten, [illegible]
Otto A. Schad Co., [illegible] Butler St., Pgh.
McKee & Duffin, [illegible]
C. J. Weis, 2220 Penn Ave., Pgh.
Hewitt & Jamison, Wylie and Fulton, Pgh.
John C. Smith, 5147 Penn Ave., Pgh.
[illegible] Drug Co., [illegible]
Theodore T. Hill, [illegible] Frankstown Ave., Pgh.
Kennedy F. Lanz, [illegible]
Charles M. Kelly, 101 Washington Ave., Allg.
J. D. Loughridge, Cor. Frankstown and Brushton Aves., Pgh.
Harry M. Thompson, Carnegie, Pa.
J. M. Perrin, Carnegie, Pa.
W. L. Barndollar, McKees Rocks, Pa.
H. J. O'Donnell, [illegible]
Herman J. McBride, [illegible]
Frank D. Troth, [illegible]
[illegible] Ave. & Knoxville Bo.

PITTSBURGH STOCK EXCHANGE RECORD

SALES AND QUOTATIONS. SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 15, 1902.

The public sales in detail were:
10 a. m. to 10:30 a. m.
5 Pgh. Coal pfd..... 91
80 Pgh. Coal pfd..... 90⅞
6 P., McK. & Y. Ry. 75
10 U. S. Steel pfd.... 94½
50 U. S. Steel pfd.... 94
100 M. R. Coal com... 14½
60 M. R. Coal com... 14½
100 M. R. Coal com... 14½
20 M. R. Coal com... 14½
100 M. R. Coal com... 14½
50 M. R. Coal com... 14½
50 M. R. Coal com... 14½
100 M. R. Coal com... 14½
100 M. R. Coal com... 14¾
50 M. R. Coal com... 14½
50 M. R. Coal com... 14⅝
300 M. R. Coal com... 14½
10 M. R. Coal com... 14½
4,000 M. R. Coal com... 14½
20 M. R. Coal com... 14½
50 M. R. Coal com... 14½
50 M. R. Coal com... 14⅝
50 M. R. Coal com... 14½
50 M. R. Coal com... 14½
50 M. R. Coal com... 14½
10 M. R. Coal com... 14½
25 Real Estate Trust.275
30 Real Estate Trust.276
10 Real Estate Trust.278
20 Crucible Steel pfd.. 86½
50 A. W. Glass com... 48
450 A. W. Glass com... 48
25 A. W. Glass com... 48
50 A. W. Glass com... 48
50 A. W. Glass com... 48
60 A. W. Glass com... 48
50 A. W. Glass com... 48
100 A. W. Glass com... 48
100 A. W. Glass com... 48
25 U. S. Steel com.... 44⅛
20 West. Elec. 2ds.... 88⅝
¾ Phila. Co. com..... 46
½ Phila. Co. pfd..... 44
½ Phila. Co. pfd..... 44
⅓ Phila. Co. com..... 46
10 D. S. F. & T. Co...250
10:30 a. m. to 12 m.
50 M. R. Coal com.... 14½
100 M. R. Coal com.... 14½
60 M. R. Coal com.... 14½
20 M. R. Coal com.... 14½
80 M. R. Coal com.... 14½
5 M. R. Coal com.... 14½
100 M. R. Coal com.... 14½
50 M. R. Coal com.... 14½
100 M. R. Coal com.... 14½
100 M. R. Coal com.... 14½
50 U. S. Steel pfd.... 94
10 Con. Gas pfd...... 45
10 West. Elec. 2ds.... 88
25 Allegheny Trust...150
100 A. W. Glass com... 48
100 A. W. Glass com... 48
50 A. W. Glass com... 48
50 A. W. Glass com... 48
25 A. W. Glass com... 48
10 Guarantee Trust...131
50 Iron City N. Bk....117
10 A. W. Glass pfd.... 89¾
50 Crucible Steel pfd. 86½
50 Crucible Steel pfd. 86⅝
20 Crucible Steel pfd. 86½
25 Crucible Steel pfd. 86½
7 Crucible Steel pfd. 86½
100 Crucible Steel pfd. 86⅝
10 Crucible Steel pfd. 86⅝
12 Crucible Steel pfd. 86¾
20 West. Airbrake....181
100 Pgh. Coal com.... 25½
200 Pgh. Coal pfd..... 90⅞
10 Pgh. Coal pfd..... 90¾
10 Pgh. Coal pfd..... 90¾
20 Pgh. Coal pfd..... 90¾
5 D. S. F. & T. Co..250
25 Federal Nat. Bk...140½
22 M. R. Coal pfd.... 44
10 M. R. Coal pfd.... 44
4 Phila. Co. com.... 47¼
20 Phila. Co. com.... 46¾
25 Citizens Nat. Bk..100
70 Citizens Nat. Bk..100
100 Phila. Co. pfd..... 45
20 Third N. Bk., Ally.250
$5,000 Phila. Co. bd. scrip.105¼
$37.50 Phila. Co. c. scrip. 46
$12.50 Phila. Co. p. scrip. 44
$1,000 Beaver Coal 5s....104
$5,000 W. & E. P. 5s....115
$1,000 Southern Trac. 5s.108¼

The total public sales were 5,629 shares of stock, $7,000 bonds and $550 scrip; total preceding Saturday, 3,252.9 shares of stock and 141-50 warrants; total same day last year, 7,343 shares of stock and $2,000 bonds.

The official closing bids and offers were:

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
STOCKS.			& Y.....	74⅝	75½	Am. Trust.	134½	135	Phila. Co...	46½	46¾
Pgh. Bks.			Electric.			Guarantee	130½	135	Union S. &		
Citizens ...	101	....	Westh. 2d..	88	88¾	Ally Bks.			S. pfd ...	98	100
First Nat..	....	300	Miscellan.			Bk. of Sd.			U. S. Glass.	34¾	36
*Fourth Nt.	155	....	A. W. Glass	47⅞	48⅛	Savings .	70	....	W. Airbrake	180	182
Keystone ..	388	....	Do pfd....	....	90	D.S. & F.T.	250	270	N. F. Proof.	....	*37⅝
Mechs. Nat.	....	128	Con. G. pfd.	44	....	Third Nat.	245	270	U. S. Steel.	....	44
Metro. Nat.	160	165	Con. Ice....	14½	15	Ohio Val...	....	125	BONDS.		
Mon. Nat..	265	270	Do pfd....	37½	38½	Ally. Trust	150	....	City Rys.		
Nat. Bk. of			Cruc. Steel.	23	23½	Insurance.			Pgh. & Bir.	117	....
W. Pa...	195	199	Do pfd ...	....	86½	Armenia ..	....	100	Sec. Ave. T.		
Pgh. N. B.			M. R. Coal.	14⅝	14¾	Mon'ahela ..	....	64	con. 5s..	118½	....
of Com..	....	450	Do pfd....	43⅞	44	Nat. Gas			Miscellan.		
Sec'nd Nat.	718	750	Marsden ...	3⅜	4⅛	Nat. G. of			Con. Gas 5s	....	112½
Trad. Nat.	173	....	P., B. & L.			W. Va. ...	....	107	M. L. & P. 5s	....	109½
Trust Cos.			E. R. R.	36¼	....	City Rys.			Phil. Co. 5s	....	112½
Fid. T. & T.	....	440	Pgh. Brew.	24⅞	25¼	Ally. Trac.	....	50	P. B. & L.		
Pa. Trust.	220	....	Do pfd....	44	44½	Railroad.			E. con. 5s	114	....
Pgh. Trust.	305	....	Pgh. Coal..	25½	25⅝	A. V. pfd...	27½	....	P. Brew. 6s	110½	111
Union Trust	730	....	Do pfd....	90⅝	90⅞	Pgh., McK.					
R. E. Trust	282	283	P. P. Glass..	....	148⅞						

*Ex-rights and dividend.

The following is a complete summary of Saturday's official transactions on the Pittsburgh stock exchange. It shows the change in the closing selling prices, compared with the last preceding sales, the total sales of each security, the opening, high, low and closing prices and final bids and offers:

SECURITIES.	Total Sales.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Bid.	Ask.	Change.
Citizens National Bank	95	100	*100	100	100	101	101	14½+
Federal National Bank	25	140½	140½	140½	140½	140½	141	1 +
Iron City National Bank	50	117	117	117	117	....	....	0
Third National Bank, Allegheny	20	250	*250	250	250	245	270	30 +
Allegheny Trust Company	25	150	150	150	150	150	....	0
Dollar Savings F. & T. Co., Allegheny	15	*250	250	250	250	250	270	10 +
Guarantee Title & Trust Co.	10	131	131	131	131	130½	135	1 +
Real Estate Trust Co.	55	275	278	275	278	282	283	3 +
Consolidated Gas preferred	10	45	45	45	45	44	....	0
Westinghouse Electric seconds	30	88⅝	88⅝	88	88	88	88⅝	0
Pgh., McK. & Y. R. R.	6	75	75	75	75	74⅝	75½	0
American Window Glass	1,250	48	48	48	48	47⅞	48⅛	¼+
Do preferred	10	89¾	89¾	89¾	89¾	....	90	¼—
Crucible Steel preferred	314	86½	86¾	86⅝	86½	....	86½	¼+
United States Steel	25	44⅛	44⅛	44⅛	44⅛	....	44	⅛+
Do preferred	110	94½	94½	94	94	....	....	0
Monongahela River Coal	8,015	14½	14½	14½	14½	14⅝	14¾	⅛+
Do preferred	35	44	44	44	44	43⅞	44	0
Pittsburgh Coal	100	25½	25½	25½	25½	25½	25⅝	½—
Do preferred	272	†91	†91	90¾	90¾	90⅝	90⅞	⅛—
Philadelphia Company	35	†46	47¼	†46	46¾	46½	46¾	0
Do preferred	101	†44	45	†44	45	....	....	0
Westinghouse Airbrake	20	181	181	181	181	180	182	½—
Total	5,629	....	....	....	....	....	....	......
Beaver Coal Company 5s	$1,000	104	104	104	104	....	....	¼+
Southern Traction 5s	1,000	108¼	108¼	108¼	108¼	....	108¼	0
W. & E. P. St. Ry. 5s	5,000	115	115	115	115	....	....	¾+
Total	$7,000	....	....	....	....	....	....	......
Philadelphia Co. Bond Scrip	$500 00	105¼	105¼	105¼	105¼	....	....	......
Do common stock scrip	37 50	46	46	46	46	....	....	......
Do preferred stock scrip	12 50	44	44	44	44	....	....	......
Total	$550 00	....	....	....	....	....	....	......

*New high record. †One share and less.

NEW YORK PRICES.

Daily range of prices reported by Messrs. Henry Sproul & Co., No. 236 Fourth avenue, members of New York, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh and Chicago Stock exchanges, and Chicago board of trade:

Sales.	STOCKS.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
1800	A., T. & S. F.	77½	77⅝	77¼	77⅝
300	Do preferred	97⅝	97⅝	97½	97⅝
	Am. Cotton Oil	....	....	....	31⅝
	Do preferred	....	....	....	86
5900	Am. Sugar Ref.	128⅝	128⅝	127⅞	128⅜
	Do preferred	....	....	....	119
200	Am. Locomotive	31½	31½	31½	31⅝
100	Do preferred	92⅝	92½	92⅛	92¼
	A. Car Foundry	....	....	....	29
200	Do preferred	88⅛	88⅛	88	88
	American Can	13⅛	13⅛	13⅛	13
	Do preferred	54⅝	54⅝	54⅝	54⅝
55800	Amal. Copper	68⅞	70⅜	68	70½
500	Anaconda Copper	32¾	33½	32¾	33⅞
300	A. Smelt. & Ref.	47½	47½	46¾	46⅝
100	Do preferred	98	98	98	98
	American Ice	27	27	26⅞	26⅞
	Do preferred	65⅛	65⅛	65⅛	65
4300	Balt. & Ohio	105⅛	105⅛	104½	104⅞
100	Do preferred	....	....	....	94
7600	Brooklyn R. T.	62½	63	62	62⅝
3400	Chicago Gt. W.	24½	24⅝	24¼	24⅝
400	Consolidated Gas	220½	220⅞	220½	221
200	C., C., C. & St. L.	101½	101½	101½	101½
800	Ches. & Ohio	46⅛	46⅛	46	46⅛
200	Chicago & Alton	34½	34¼	34	33⅞
	Do preferred	....	....	....	75⅝
100	Col. F. & I.	86	86	86	86
	Do preferred	....	....	....	120
6800	Col. Southern	19⅝	19⅝	18⅝	18⅝
3400	Do 1st pfd	67	67⅛	66⅝	66⅝
4500	Do 2d pfd	35	35⅛	34½	34⅜
	D., L. & W.	....	....	....	282
100	Del. & Hudson	171½	172	171¼	171⅛
3300	Erie	40	40	39⅝	39⅞
900	Do 1st pfd	70⅛	70⅛	69⅞	69⅞
100	Do 2d pfd	56⅛	56⅛	56⅛	56
700	General Electric	291⅞	291⅞	290½	290½
400	Glucose Sugar	44	44	43½	43½
	Do preferred	....	....	....	101½
1300	Illinois Central	141½	141½	140⅞	140½
2300	Iowa Central	49	49	47⅞	48
800	Do preferred	81⅝	81⅝	80½	80½
	Internat. Paper	19⅛	19½	19⅛	19⅛
	Do preferred	....	....	....	75¼
	L. E. & W.	....	....	....	68
	Do preferred	....	....	....	135
1900	Louis. & Nash.	105⅛	105¼	104⅞	105
10700	Manhattan	134	134	132⅞	133⅝
1400	Missouri Pacific	103⅝	104	103⅝	103⅞
700	M., K. & T. pfd.	54	54¼	54	54⅛
52000	Metropolitan	170	171¼	167⅞	171½
100	Mexican Central	28⅜	28⅜	28⅜	28¼
	National Lead	....	....	....	17½
	Do preferred	....	....	....	85
300	National Biscuit	46⅝	46⅝	46⅝	46½
	Do preferred	....	....	....	107½
1300	N. Y. Central	164	164	163⅝	163⅝
	N. J. Central	....	....	....	193
600	N. Y., O. & W.	34	34	33⅞	33⅞
1100	Norfolk & West.	57⅞	57⅞	57⅛	57⅛
	Do preferred	....	....	....	90½
	Omaha	....	....	....	149
300	P., G. L. & C.	100	100	99½	99½
500	Pacific Mail	46	46¼	46	46⅛
	Pullman	....	....	....	220
	Pressed Steel Car	....	....	....	40
	Do preferred	....	....	....	83½
4800	Penna. R. R.	150⅞	151¼	150⅞	151
	P., C., C. & St. L.	....	....	....	82
	Do preferred	....	....	....	108
8300	Reading	58	58	57⅛	57½
1600	Do 1st pfd	83⅜	83⅝	83¼	83¼
7700	Do 2d pfd	67⅝	68⅛	67½	67¾
400	Rock Island	163⅝	164	163½	164
100	Republic Iron	16⅛	16⅛	16⅛	16⅛
300	Do preferred	69	69½	69	69½
14900	Southern Pacific	66⅝	67	66⅜	66¾
4100	Southern Ry	34⅛	34⅛	33⅞	33⅞
2200	Do preferred	97⅛	97⅜	96⅞	96⅞
8200	St. Paul	166	166	165⅛	165⅝
	Do preferred	....	....	....	190
100	St. L. & S'w	26⅛	26⅛	26⅛	26⅛
1000	Do preferred	59¼	59¼	59	59
600	Tenn. C. & I.	66	66	65⅝	65⅞
1000	Texas & Pac.	42¼	42¼	41½	42
900	T., St. L. & W.	21¼	21⅛	21¼	21⅛
200	Do preferred	41⅛	42	41⅞	41
5600	U. S. Steel	44⅛	44⅛	43⅝	43⅞
6700	Do preferred	94½	94⅛	93⅞	93¾
10600	Union Pacific	103¼	103⅜	102½	102⅞
100	Do preferred	89⅛	89⅛	89⅛	89¼
	U. S. Rubber	....	....	....	14
400	U. S. Leather	11⅝	11⅝	11⅝	11⅛
	Do preferred	....	....	....	81⅛
4600	Wabash	24	24⅜	24	24¼
2600	Do preferred	43⅝	43⅞	43⅝	43⅞
200	Western Union	91	91	91	91⅛
400	W. & L. E.	19⅛	19⅛	19	18⅞
	Do preferred	30⅝	30⅝	30⅝	30

Total sales, 270,100 shares.

WEEK'S BUSINESS SHOWED INCREASE

The total public sales recorded upon the Pittsburgh stock exchange during the week (five days only) ending Saturday—the first week of continuous sessions—were 37,265¾ shares of stock, $105,000 bonds, $615 90 scrip and 8-25 warrants. These figures compare with 28,062.9 shares of stock, $120,000 bonds, 175 receipts and 10 13-25 warrants for the preceding week, and with 109,285 19-250 shares of stock and $133,000 bonds for the same week (five days) a year ago. Thus it will be seen that the five days of this week sold over 9,000 shares more than the six days of its predecessor. Generally, the market was quite steady and in places decidedly strong, but in a few it was weak and very dull. As a whole, the result is favorable, the net changes in value showing principally gains.

The following statement is a complete summary of the publicly recorded transactions on the Pittsburgh stock exchange during the week beginning Monday, February 10, and ending with Saturday, February 15, 1902. It shows the total sales, opening, highest, lowest and closing prices, and the changes in the selling prices as compared with those of the preceding week and the nearest ones to that time:

STOCKS.	Shares.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Change.
Pittsburgh Stock Exchange Seat	1	$9125	*$9125	$9125	$9125	$125 +
Citizens National Bank	95	100	*100	100	100	14½+
Exchange National Bank	10	86½	86½	86½	86½	1½+
Federal National Bank	60	140	140½	139½	140½	½+
First National Bank (Pittsburgh)	25	436	436	436	436	0
Hill Top German Savings Bank	10	63	63	63	63	0
Iron City National Bank	50	117	117	117	117	0
Third National Bank (Allegheny)	24	220	*250	220	250	45 +
Tradesmens National Bank	13	175	175	175	175	0
Allegheny Trust Co.	312	150	150	150	150	10 +
American Trust Co.	115	133	135	133	135	2 +
Colonial Trust Co.	25	310	*310	310	310	10 +
Dollar Savings Fund & Trust Co.	45	240	*250	240	250	10 +
Equitable Trust Co.	50	178	178	178	178	0
Fidelity Title & Trust Co.	2	420	420	420	420	40 —
Guarantee Title & Trust Co.	45	130	131	130	131	2 +
Pennsylvania Trust Co.	160	220	220	220	220	5 +
Real Estate Trust Co.	190	265	278	265	278	27 +
Safe Deposit & Trust Co.	50	107½	107½	107½	107½	1½+
Consolidated Bonanza Gold Mining	1,900	2.60	2.60	2.60	2.60	
Consolidated Gas pfd.	15	45	45	45	45	0
Fayette County Gas	22	80½	*81	80½	81	1 +
Westinghouse Electric firsts	22	90	90	90	90	¾+
Do seconds	1,135	88	88½	88	88	½+
Allegheny Valley Railroad pfd.	1,450	28	28	28	28	0
Pennsylvania Railroad	20	75½	75½	75½	75½	2⅛+
P., McK. & Y. R. R.	6	75	75	75	75	0
Citizens Traction	40	70	70	70	70	¼—
United Traction pfd.	10	51⅝	51⅝	51⅝	51⅝	⅛+
American Window Glass com.	1,714	47⅞	48	47⅞	48	¼+
Do preferred	10	89¾	89¾	89¾	89¾	¼—
Pittsburgh Plate Glass com.	46⅝	148½	150	148½	150	½+
Crucible Steel	605	23½	23¾	23½	23½	¼—
Do preferred	2,842	86⅝	86⅞	86¼	86½	⅛+
United States Steel	3,450	44	44⅛	43⅞	44	⅛+
Do preferred	987	94	95	94	94	⅛+
National Fire Proofing	2,488	39¾	39¾	37¾	38	1⅞—
Do preferred	1,310	47½	48	46¾	46¾	1—
Manufacturers Light & Heat	320	54½	54½	54½	54½	5½—
Marsden com.	270	4⅛	4⅛	3⅞	3⅞	⅛—
Monongahela Water	281	41	41	41	41	0
Monongahela River Coal	8,900	14⅝	14¾	14½	14¾	⅛+
Do preferred	175	43⅞	44	43⅞	44	⅛+
Pittsburgh Coal	1,215	26	26	25½	25½	½+
Do preferred	2,343	90⅞	91	90¾	90⅞	⅛+
Pittsburgh Brewing	285	25¾	25¾	†25	†25	⅞—
Do preferred	390	45	†44½	45	†44½	½+
Philadelphia Co.	8,735	47	47½	**46	46¾	¼+
Do preferred	1,201	45	45¼	**44	45	0
Pressed Steel Car pfd.	15	83½	83½	83½	83½	½—
Union Switch & Signal com.	130	80	80	80	80	0
Westinghouse Airbrake	27	181	181½	181	181	0
Total	37,265¾	......	......	......	......	......
BONDS.						
Beaver Coal 5s	$ 1,000	104	104	104	104	¾+
Monongahela Light & Power 5s	1,000	109¼	109¼	109¼	109¼	0
P., B. & L. E. R. R. con. 5s	3,000	119	119	119	119	¼+
Pittsburgh Brewing 6s	1,000	110¾	110¾	110¾	110¾	½—
§Philadelphia Co. (new) 5s	1,000	104¾	104¾	104¾	104¾	0
F., McK. & C. St. Ry. 5s	16,000	98¾	98¾	98½	98½	⅛—
Southern Traction 5s	2,000	108¼	108¼	108¼	108¼	¼—
United Traction 5s	4,000	116	116	116	116	½+
Union Switch & Signal 6s	10,000	101½	101½	101½	101½	3½—
§United States Steel, Series B, 5s	28,000	115	*115¼	115	115¼	¼+
§Do, Series D, 5s	7,000	115	115	115	115	½—
W. & E. P. St. Ry. 5s	81,000	114¾	115	114½	115	¾+
Total	$105,000	......	......	......	......	......
SCRIP.						
Allegheny Valley Railroad	$ 6 90	26	26	26	26	1 +
Philadelphia Co. bond	500 00	105¼	105¼	105¼	105¼	......
Do common stock	37 50	46	46	46	46	......
Do preferred stock	12 50	44	46	46	45	......
Pittsburgh Coal common stock	60 00	20	20	20	20	4½—
Total	$615 90	......	......	......	......	......
Monon. Water warrants	8-25	40	40	40	40	0

*New high record. †Cash. ‡Ex-interest. **Half shares only. §And interest.

CLOSING BOND PRICES.

U. S. ref. 2s, reg.	108½	*L. & N. uni. 4s.	101¼
Do 2s, coup.	108½	Mexican Cent. 4s.	82¾
Do 3s, reg.	108¼	Do 1st inc.	31
Do 3s, coup.	108¼	M. & St. L. 4s.	105
Do new 4s, reg.	139½	M., K. & T. 4s.	98⅛
Do 4s, coup.	139½	Do 2ds.	82
Do old 4s, reg.	112	*N. Y. C. 1sts.	103⅝
Do old 4s, coup.	112	*Do gen. 3½s.	108
Do 5s, reg.	106	N. J. C. gen. 5s.	137
Do 5s, coup.	106	North. Pac. 4s.	103¼
Atchison, gen. 4s	104¼	Do 3s.	74¾
Do adjt. 4s	95⅞	N. & W. con. 4s.	103⅞
B. & O. 4s.	104	Reading Gen. 4s.	99¼
Do 3½s.	96½	St. L. & I. M. con. 5s.	117¾
Do conv. 4s.	107¼	St. L. & S. F. 4s.	97¼
Canada So. 2ds.	110⅛	St. Louis S'w 1sts.	98¼
Cent. of Ga. 5s.	111	Do 2ds.	79⅝
Do 1st inc.	79½	S. A. & A. P. 4s.	92
C. & O. 4½s.	110	South. Pacific 4s.	94⅛
*C. & A. 3½s.	84	Southern Ry. 5s.	120¼
C. B. & Q. new 4s.	96⅛	Tex. & Pac. 1sts.	120¾
C. M. & St. P. g. 4s.	114	T., St. L. & W. 4s.	86¾
*C. & N. con. 7s.	138⅞	Union Pacific 4s.	106⅛
*C. R. I. & P. 4s.	110⅝	Do conv. 4s.	106¼
C. C. C. & St. L. g. 4s.	103	*Wabash 1sts.	118¼
*Chicago Ter. 4s.	86	Do 2ds.	111⅛
Col. & So. 4s.	94⅜	Do Deb. B.	71½
D. & R. G. 4s.	102½	*West Shore 4s.	112¼
Erie prior lien 4s.	98⅝	W. & L. E. 4s.	90⅛
Do gen. 4s.	88⅝	Wiscon. Cent. 4s.	88⅜
F. W. & D. C. 1sts.	111	Cons. Tobacco 4s.	65
Hock. Val. 4½s.	109½		

*Bid.

Consolidated Stock Exchange.

On the Consolidated stock exchange yesterday the posted sales in detail were as follows:
50 shares Monongahela Coal common..... 14⅝
50 shares Monongahela Coal common..... 14½
20 shares Monongahela Coal common..... 14½
30 shares Monongahela Coal common..... 14½
50 shares Monongahela Coal common..... 14½
25 shares Monongahela Coal common..... 14½
30 shares Window Glass 47⅞
20 shares Window Glass 48
20 shares Crucible Steel preferred........ 86½
10 shares Window Glass 48
40 shares Window Glass 48
50 shares United States Steel preferred... 93⅞
50 shares United States Steel preferred... 93¾
50 shares United States Steel preferred... 93¾
10 shares United States Steel preferred... 93⅝

Philadelphia Stocks.

PHILADELPHIA, PA., Feb. 15.—The closing bids were as follows:

Penna. R. R.	75¼	Tidewater Steel	6
Phila. Traction	90¾	Cambria Steel	22⅞
Union Traction	26⅞	Elec. Co. of Am.	6
Elec. & Peo. 4s.	101¼	American Rys.	44
Con. Tr., N. J.	68	Alkali	⅝
Con. L. Superior	22½	Asphalt 5s	30
Storage common	64	Phila. Co.	46¼
Do preferred	64	Do 5s	112
Marsden	4	Railways General	36⅝
Phila. Electric	3⅝	Superior pfd.	71
United Gas Impt.	119	Powder	8½
Welsbach	28		

NEW YORK WEEKLY BANK STATEMENT

NEW YORK, Feb. 15.—The reports of the New York banks to the clearing house yesterday were as follows:

NAME OF BANK.	Loans.	Specie.	Legals.	Deposits.	Av. Circulation.
Bank of New York, N. B. A.	$19,656,000	$2,823,000	$1,645,000	$19,711,000	$696,700
Manhattan Company	27,209,000	5,054,000	2,109,000	29,085,000	......
Merchants National	12,780,900	2,892,300	1,572,900	16,109,800	......
Mechanics National	14,145,000	2,690,000	1,744,000	14,961,000	......
Bank of America	22,324,100	5,419,200	2,562,200	25,288,100	......
Phoenix National	4,708,000	834,000	309,000	4,558,000	47,500
National City	121,544,500	27,370,500	7,242,200	135,126,900	4,117,300
Chemical National	30,322,400	4,212,700	2,389,000	24,823,000	......
Merchants Exchange National	5,240,200	797,500	856,900	5,618,200	258,700
Gallatin National	8,783,400	914,000	652,800	6,724,800	198,100
National Butchers and Drovers	1,382,200	282,000	77,800	1,074,100	47,200
Mechanics and Traders	2,985,000	519,000	305,700	3,527,000	......
Greenwich	986,500	127,200	135,200	890,000	......
Leather Manufacturers National	4,151,600	822,100	218,300	4,021,400	487,900
Seventh National	5,508,600	1,065,100	177,700	5,660,700	115,800
American Exchange National	28,241,000	4,250,000	1,528,000	28,815,000	4,708,000
National Bank of Commerce	67,487,500	12,471,800	7,552,300	78,518,500	7,402,100
National Broadway	7,157,400	1,300,000	420,400	6,617,000	448,000
Mercantile National	14,944,200	2,765,800	1,868,300	16,634,600	986,670
Pacific	2,959,800	582,300	434,240	2,991,800	......
Chatham National	6,219,600	672,300	811,700	6,244,500	48,000
Peoples	2,197,000	228,000	428,300	2,712,500	......
Bank of North America	16,286,400	2,922,000	1,483,190	16,031,500	799,900
Hanover National	53,167,200	10,673,300	5,731,880	61,585,000	2,009,100
Irving National	4,281,000	719,800	440,400	4,616,000	297,100
National Citizens	5,804,400	1,117,000	295,300	5,862,000	586,500
Nassau Bank	2,626,600	217,100	450,200	3,084,400	......
Market and Fulton National	6,512,300	1,472,900	746,000	7,274,000	50,000
National Shoe and Leather	3,730,500	656,800	157,800	4,242,300	49,300
Corn Exchange	23,100,000	4,519,000	2,917,000	28,062,000	......
Oriental	2,028,000	218,100	230,300	1,780,000	......
Importers & Traders National	23,595,000	4,385,000	1,167,000	21,928,000	44,200
National Park Bank	48,613,000	15,244,000	4,526,000	67,584,000	49,200
East River National Bank	1,228,700	168,300	198,100	1,596,000	50,100
Fourth National Bank	22,771,200	4,704,000	2,214,300	25,847,800	50,000
Central National Bank	10,267,000	2,376,000	1,062,900	14,268,000	586,000
Second National Bank	9,547,900	1,525,000	1,015,000	10,867,000	282,900
First National Bank	90,372,200	12,780,200	1,092,400	83,878,400	2,034,300
New York National Exchange	4,581,300	763,100	407,500	4,411,400	495,100
Bowery Bank	2,802,000	474,000	227,000	3,141,000	......
New York County National	3,638,100	771,200	288,600	4,412,500	50,000
German-American	3,565,000	497,000	262,300	3,302,700	......
Chase National	47,235,100	10,084,900	2,062,000	49,535,600	880,000
Fifth Avenue	9,449,000	2,514,700	187,200	10,576,000	......
German Exchange Bank	2,391,700	215,100	924,200	3,425,000	......
Germania Bank	3,188,200	414,900	414,200	4,144,400	......
Lincoln National Bank	11,029,300	944,900	2,105,900	12,681,300	944,100
Garfield National Bank	7,305,800	1,556,600	329,700	7,628,000	47,000
Fifth National Bank	2,143,000	458,200	165,100	2,340,000	198,400
Bank of Metropolis	7,318,600	1,433,800	445,400	[illegible]	......
West Side	2,707,000	392,000	319,000	2,982,000	......
Seaboard National	12,622,000	2,828,000	1,456,000	16,359,000	50,000
Western National	40,838,100	10,018,200	[illegible]	48,425,100	50,000
First National Bank Brooklyn	4,157,000	449,000	[illegible]	4,282,000	75,600
Liberty National	6,981,100	1,282,800	425,000	6,730,200	498,100
New York Produce Exchange	4,161,500	727,000	374,600	4,664,700	......
Bank of New Amsterdam	7,046,100	[illegible]	625,800	9,025,700	99,800
Astor National Bank	4,117,000	1,108,000	189,000	4,438,000	250,000
Hide and Leather National	[illegible]	404,900	118,000	2,282,800	380,000
Totals	[illegible]2,094,700	$194,535,400	$72,828,200	$1,015,279,000	$31,224,100

Butter, Eggs and Cheese.

NEW YORK, Feb. 15.—Butter—Receipts, 4,144 pkgs. Firm; state dairy, 20@27c; state creamery, 22@29c; June creamery, 17@24½c; renovated, 15½@23c; factory, 15@20c. Cheese—Receipts, 1,565 pkgs. Strong; state full cream small early made fancy colored, 11¾@12c; state, full cream, small early made, fancy white, 11¾@12c; large early made colored, 10¾@11c; large early made white, 10¾@11c. Eggs—Receipts, 4,438 pkgs. Firm; state and Penn, 32½c; western at mark, 32½c; southern at mark, 32c.

BALTIMORE, MD., Feb. 15.—Butter—Firm; unchanged; fancy imitation, 20@22c; fancy creamery, 29@30c; fancy ladle, 17@18c; fancy roll, 17@18c; good roll, 15@16c; store packed, 14@16c. Eggs—Firm and higher; fresh, 32@33c. Cheese—Firm and higher; large, 11¼@11½c; medium, 12@12¼c; small, 12¼@13½c.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 15.—Butter firm but quiet; extra western creamery, 29c; do nearby prints, 31c. Eggs firm and 1c higher; fresh nearby, 33c; do western, 33c; do southwestern, 33c; do southern, 31c. Cheese firm; New York full creams, fancy small, 11½@11¾c; do fair to choice, 9½@11c.

CHICAGO, ILL., Feb. 15.—Butter—Firm; creameries, 17@28c; dairies, 16@22c. Cheese—Steady; cheddars, 10@10¼c; twins, 10¼@10½c.

Cast a postscriptless ballot.

New York Mining Stocks.

NEW YORK, Feb. 15.—Stocks closed:

Adams Con.	.20	Little Chief	.12
Alice	.45	Ontario	7.00
Breece	.65	Ophir	.80
Brunswick Con.	.07	Phoenix	.05
Comstock Tunnel	.05	Potosi	.11
Con. Cal. & Va.	1.25	Savage	.06
Deadwood Terra	.50	Sierra Nevada	.12
Horn Silver	1.40	Small Hopes	.30
Iron Silver	.64	Standard	3.15
Leadville Con.	.05		

Chicago Stocks.

CHICAGO, Feb. 15.—Stocks closed quiet:

Biscuit	46⅝	South Side El.	108
West Chicago	95	Union Traction	15
City Railway	218¼	Do preferred	49½
American Can	13⅝	Metropolitan Els.	89½
Do preferred	54¼	Do preferred	90½

Electric Stocks.

BOSTON, Feb. 15.—Electric stocks closed:

Mass. Electric	37½	General Electric	290
Do preferred	96½		

New York's "Curb" Market.

Henry Sproul & Co. furnish the following closing bids on active stocks traded in on the "curb," or outside the New York stock exchange:

American Can	13	North. Securities	104⅝
Do preferred	54⅝	N. Y. Elec. V. Tr.	13¾
Am. H. & Leath.	5¼	Otis Elevator	29
Do preferred	38½	Do preferred	97
Am. Elevated Ry.	38¾	P., B. & L. E.	36
Bay State Gas	⅛	R. B. Pow. pfd.	106½
Brit. Col. Copper	8	Seaboard Airline	25¼
Brooklyn Ferry	17	Do preferred	47¼
Electric Boat	25	Do 4s	84½
Do preferred	45	Do 5s	101½
Electric Vehicle	1¼	Stan. Oil	$640@645
Do preferred	4½	Tenn. Copper	18¾
General Carriage	1	U. S. C. I. & Pipe	8¾
Greene Con. Cop.	25	Do preferred	36
Havana Com'l Co.	11	Union Copper	3
Do preferred	49	White Knob Cop.	17
N. Amster. Gas	110¼		

Vote against the system of allowing city contractors to appoint the public officials who inspect their work.

Boston Copper Mining Stocks.

A. E. Masten & Co., 306 Fourth avenue, Pittsburgh, furnish the following closing bids of copper and mining stocks in Boston:

Adventure	19¾	Old Dominion	21¼
Amalgamated	70½	Old Colony	2½
Atlantic	27	Parrot	31
Baltic	38	Quincy	140
Bingham	22¼	Rhode Island	2¼
Calumet & Ariz.	29½	Santa Fe Copper	3¼
Calumet	615	Trimountain	73
Centennial	13½	Tamarack	245
Phoenix	8½	Utah	24
Copper Range	58	U. S. Mining	17
Elm River	2	Victoria	5
Franklin	13¼	Wolverine	48½
Mass	17¼	Greene	25
Michigan	10½	Guanajuato	3⅝
Osceola	76½		

Break up the system of denying public improvements to wards whose representatives will not take orders from the ring.

Boston Stocks.

BOSTON, Feb. 15.—Stocks closed:

Atchison	77¼	Mexican Central	28
Do preferred	97⅝	American Sugar	128¼
Boston & Albany	262	Do preferred	119
Boston & Maine	192½	Am. Tel. & Tel.	158
Boston Elevated	161½	Dominion I. & S.	30¼
N. Y., N. H. & H.	211	United Fruit	87
Fitchburg pfd.	145	U. S. Steel	43⅞
Union Pacific	102⅞	Do preferred	93⅝

PRODUCE MARKETS BY WIRE.

CHICAGO, Feb. 15.—Estimated receipts for Monday: Wheat 15 cars, corn 90 cars, oats 85 cars, hogs 45,000 head.

The leading futures, corrected by John D. Armstrong & Co., members of the Chicago board of trade, 209 Sixth street, are as follows:

Articles.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yesterday's Close.
WHEAT No. 2.					
Feb.	....	....	....	78¼	....
May	78⅝	78⅝	78¼	78⅝	78¼
July	78⅝	79⅛	78½	79	78⅝
CORN No. 2.					
May	62	62½	61⅞	62½	62
July	61¾	62¼	61⅝	62¼	61⅞
Sept.	60½	61⅛	60⅝	61⅛	60⅝
OATS No. 2.					
May	43½	43⅝	43⅜	43⅝	43⅝
July	37¼	37¼	36⅞	37⅛	37
Sept.	31⅞	32	31⅞	32	32
MESS PORK.					
May	15 87½	16 00	15 87½	15 97½	15 87½
July	16 00	16 07½	15 97½	16 07½	15 97½
LARD.					
May	9 42½	9 52½	9 42½	9 52½	9 40
July	9 52½	9 62½	9 50	9 62½	9 50
SHORT RIBS.					
May	8 50	8 57½	8 50	8 57½	8 50
July	8 62½	8 65	8 60	8 65	8 60
Sept.	8 70	8 75	8 70	8 75	8 67½

Cash quotations were as follows:

Flour dull; winter patents, $3 80@4 00; do straights, $3 40@3 70; clears, $3 00@3 40; spring specials, $4 20; patents, $3 20@3 70; straights, $2 90@3 20; No. 3 spring wheat, 70½@78½c; No. 2 red, 85c; No. 2 oats, 44c; No. 2 white, 45¾@46c; No. 3 white, 45@45¾c; No. 2 rye, 60½c; fair to choice malting, 61@63½c; No. 1 flaxseed, $1 67; No. 1 northwestern, $1 71½; prime timothy seed, $6 60; mess pork, $15 75@15 80; lard, $9 35@9 37½; short ribs sides (loose), 8.35@8.50c; dry salted shoulders (boxed), 7@7¼c; short clear sides (boxed), 8.80@8.90c; whisky, basis of high wines, $1 31; clover, contract grade, $9 30@9 35.

Articles.	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, bbls	21,000	21,300
Wheat, bu	62,000	60,000
Corn, bu	38,000	25,000
Oats, bu	129,000	101,000
Rye, bu	2,000	3,000
Barley, bu	40,000	21,000

NEW YORK, Feb. 15.—Flour—Receipts, 14,760 barrels; exports, 2,359 barrels. Fairly active, with a firm undertone, but no active advance. Winter patents, $3 75@4 25; winter straights, $3 70@3 85; Minneapolis patent, $3 95@4 15; winter extras, $2 90@3 25; Minnesota bakers, $2 95@3 35; winter low grades, $2 80@2 90. Rye flour dull; fair to good, $3 25@3 40; choice to fancy, $3 50@3 75. Cornmeal quiet; yellow western, $1 27; city, $1 25; brandywine, $3 60@3 70.

Grain—Rye steady; No. 2 western, 66½c f. o. b. afloat. State, 64@65c c. i. f. New York carlots. Barley dull; feeding, 63@65c c. i. f. New York. Malting, 65@72c c. i. f. New York. Wheat—Receipts, 26,900 bushels; exports, 4,365 bushels; spot firm; No. 2 red, 88⅝c f. o. b. afloat; No. 2 red, 90⅝c elevator; No. 1 Northern Duluth, 86¼c f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 hard Manitoba, 88⅝c f. o. b. afloat. Sustained by unexpectedly higher cables and light speculative offerings, wheat was steady to firm during the forenoon in face of more favorable crop news. The close was firm at ¼c net advance. March closed, 84⅝c; May, 84@84 3-16c, closed, 84⅛c; July closed, 84c; September, 83¼@83½c, closed, 83½c. Corn—Receipts, 23,400 bushels; exports, 1,192 bushels; spot firm; No. 2, 68⅛c elevator and 68⅞c f. o. b. afloat. The cables also furnished stability to corn during the forenoon in connection with small receipts and light offerings. Closed firm and partly ⅛c higher. May 66⅝@67¼c; closed, 67⅛c; July closed, 66⅝c; September closed 65⅛c. Oats—Receipts, 53,500 bushels; exports, 300 bushels; spot steady; No. 2, 49c; No. 3, 48c; No. 2 white, 50½c; No. 3 white, 50c; track mixed western, 49@50c; track white, 49@55c. Options quiet, but very steady.

BALTIMORE, MD., Feb. 15.—Flour—Dull; unchanged; receipts, 8,575 bbls; exports, 3,015 bbls. Wheat—Dull; spot, the month and March, 84⅛@84¼c; May, 84⅛@84¼c; steamer No. 2 red, 80½@81c; receipts, 6,915 bu; exports, 82,000 bu; southern by sample, 77@85½c; southern on grade, 82½@85½c. Corn—Firmer; mixed spot, the month, March and May, 65⅛@65¼c; steamer mixed, 64@64¼c; receipts, 18,583 bu; exports, 207 bu; southern white corn, 66@67½c; southern yellow corn, 65@66c. Oats—steady; No. 2 white, 49c sales; No. 2 mixed, 48c; nominal receipts, 7,285 bu; exports, none. Rye—Firm; No. 2 nearby, 67@68c; No. 2 western, 68@69c; receipts, 1,166 bu; exports, none. Hay—Quiet and steady; No. 1 timothy, $15 00@15 50. Grain freights slow, unchanged.

IN THE MONEY MARTS.

Quotations on Commercial Paper at Various Centers.

BERLIN, Feb. 15.—Exchange on London, 20 marks 46 pfgs. for checks.

PARIS, Feb. 15.—Three per cent rentes, 101f 27½ centimes for the account; exchange on London, 25f 14½ centimes for checks; Spanish 4s, 78.60.

NEW YORK, Feb. 15.—Money on call, nominal; prime mercantile paper, 4@4½ per cent; sterling exchange firm, with actual business in bankers' bills at $4 87@4 87¼ for demand and at $4 84¾ for 60 days; posted rates, $4 85½ and $4 88; commercial bills, $4 83@4 83¾; bar silver, 55⅛; Mexican dollars, 43⅞; government bonds steady; state bonds inactive; railroad bonds irregular.

The Treasury Statement.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 15.—Today's statement of the treasury balances in the general fund, exclusive of the $150,000,000 gold reserve in the division of redemption, shows: Available cash balance, $173,654,023; gold, $86,485,815; silver, $21,580,095; United States notes, $12,508,620; treasury notes of 1890, $107,260; national bank notes, $12,137,108; total receipts this day, $2,111,878; total receipts this month, $32,338,472; total receipts this year, $358,678,198; total expenditures this day, $1,990,000; total expenditures this month, $28,985,600; total expenditures this year, $301,628,174; deposits in national banks, $114,044,463.

Movements of Specie.

NEW YORK, Feb. 15.—Exports of specie from this port to all countries for this week aggregated $777,520 silver and $12,230 gold. The imports of specie this week were $44,651 gold and $14,004 silver.

The imports of dry goods and merchandise at the port of New York for this week were valued at $10,192,300.

Weekly Review of Market Quotations

PITTSBURGH PRICES FOR FARM PRODUCTS

Onions Are Higher In Price and Navy Beans Are Lower.

While operations were very quiet in the grain market last week, in other lines of business there was much activity. The grain market seemed to relapse into dullness and except for a slight advance in oats and hay, nothing of note transpired during the entire week. Oats advanced a half cent and No. 1 timothy hay advanced 25 to 50 cents on the ton. The receipts were light all week.

The expected advance in the price of flour did not take place and the market is firm at the prices quoted. Navy beans were marked down Saturday, there being a slump in the quotations of 5 cents. Sugar is firm at the prices quoted and prices throughout the general list remain unchanged.

In the canned goods line sardines scored an advance, the price being marked up 15 cents. The demand for the goods has been increased owing to the Lenten season, and a demand for canned fish, on account of the high price of eggs and for other causes.

One wholesale grocer reported yesterday that bulk oysters have been out of the market on account of Chesapeake bay being frozen. The oyster dealers are unable to fish for the oysters, on account of the cold weather.

The demand for canned apples, peaches and tomatoes has been somewhat better during the past few days. It is said that most of the retailers have refrained from laying in a stock of canned goods, thinking that there would be a slump in prices, but a dealer said Saturday that there was no indication of a reaction.

Prunes are moving better on account of the apparent shortage of the crop in this country. It is said that this is a natural consequence, for with dried apples and peaches higher than last year, the demand for prunes has increased, because they are much cheaper than either.

Onions are firmer in price and the quotations were marked up slightly, the advance amounting to 15 to 25 cents a bushel. Lettuce is much cheaper and there appears to be plenty of it on the market. Potatoes continue to hold firm, there being 21 cars on the track Saturday. Not a bushel of old potatoes was received in Pittsburgh last week. The weather was too cold to start shipments.

Eggs have advanced two cents a dozen and the indications are that prices will go higher. Chicago and New York have both advanced the price and reports from the west state that from 6 to 8 inches of snow fell in the western egg territory and that dealers are holding stock for higher prices.

Butter remains very firm and the dealers will not be surprised if the product is advanced this week. There was an advance of 1½ cents last week.

Poultry remains very firm at the prices quoted and the receipts have been very light. If the weather moderates a movement will begin and lower prices will prevail. It all depends upon the weather. Prices have remained very steady all week.

Fruits are moving a little better, there being [illegible] cars of oranges in the yards Saturday. Out going shipments are small, because retailers do not want to take chances on account of the cold weather. Apples are very firm and higher prices are expected to prevail.

Hay, Grain and Feed.

Receipts bulletined: Manchester yards—hay, 11 cars; corn, 4 cars; straw, 5 cars; oats, 12 cars; feed, 1 car; rye, 1 car.

Following are the official quotations for hay, millfeed, corn, oats and straw, corrected by the superintendent of the Pittsburgh grain exchange:

Straw—Oat, $7 50@8 00; wheat, $7 50@8 00; rye, $8 25@8 75.

Hay—Choice timothy, $15 00@15 25; No. 1 do, $14 75@15 00; No. 2 do, $12 00@13 00; No. 1 mixed, $11 00@11 50; No. 1 clover, $11 00@11 50; prairie, $10 50@11 00; packing, $8 00@10 00; loose from wagons, $16 00@17 00.

Rye—Milling prime, delivered, No. 2 Michigan, 69@70c.

Wheat—No. 2 red, winter, 74@75c f. o. b. cars within radius of 50 miles of Pittsburgh.

Corn—No. 2 yellow, shelled, 66@67c; high mixed, 65@65½c; No. 2 mixed, 64@65c; No. 2 yellow, ear, 70@71c; high mixed, 69@70c; No. 2 mixed, 68@69c.

Oats—No. 2 white, 50½@51c; extra No. 2, 49½@50c; regular, 48½@49c.

Millfeed—White middlings, per ton, No. 2, $21 00@21 50; brown, $20 00@21 00; bran, $21 00@21 50.

Groceries.

Flour—Jobbers' prices: Fancy spring patents, $4 05@4 10; fancy winter patents, $4 00@4 10; straight winter, $3 60@3 75; bakers' spring, $3 60@3 60; rye, $3 45@3 55; graham, $4 25@[illegible]; cornmeal, bbl, $3 75; 10-lb cotton bags, [illegible]

Sugar—Standard granulated, 4.75c; fine granulated, bbl, 100-lb and 25-lb jute bags, 4.75c; 60 2-lb cartons and 20 5-lb cotton bags, 4.90c; powdered, 4.85c; powdered xxxx, 4.90c; cubes, 5.00c; cutloaf, 5.35c; confectioners' A, 4.55c; No. 2 soft, white, 4.35c; No. 4 do, 4.30c; No. 1 yellow, 4.15c; No. 2 do, 4.10c; No. 3 do, 4.05c. (Quotations are f. o. b. cars New York, which gives cost at your nearest railroad station. The price for Pittsburgh is 15c per 100 lbs above these quotations.)

Cereals—Rolled oats, bbl, $5 10; kegs, $2 75; packages, $2 50@3 10; oatmeal, bbls, $5 50; kegs, $2 90.

Molasses—Fancy refined, 30@32c; choice do, 26@29c; prime do, 22@25c; new open kettle, 38@40c; fancy sugar syrup, 30@35c; sugar and cane, 26@28c; syrup in 2½-lb tin cans, $1 95@2 10 per case.

Coffee—Roasted, bulk, Rio, 10½@12c; Santos, 22½@23½c; Maracaibo, 17@17½c; Peaberry, 17@18½c; Caracas, 17@19½c; Golden Rio, 14½@15c; Java, 26@29c; Mocha, 25½c; standard brands, 1-lb pkgs, 10.80c (with rebate of ⅛c allowed to retailers); high grades, 1-lb pkgs, 14.30@18.30c.

Beans—Prime marrowfat, bu, $2 45@2 50; H. P. navy, $1 85@1 90; red kidney, $2 45@2 50; California Limas, 5½@6½c.

Peas—Dried peas, $1 60@1 65; Scotch, per bu, $1 70@1 75; split peas, bbl, $4 50; less, 3½c per lb.

Oil—Carbon, 110 deg, 8¾c; headlight, 9¼c; water white, 9¾c; Elaine, 14c; Ohio W. W. test, 10c; miners' Lewis, 52@53c; special brands, 25@45c; prime refined, 26c.

Rice—Extra fancy head, 7½@7¾c; fancy Japan, 5¼c; choice Carolina, 6@6½c; prime Carolina, 4¾@5¼c.

Salt—No. 1, $1 00 per bbl; No. 1 extra, $1 10; dairy, $1 30; granulated rock, 95c sack; pocket salt, $1 70@2 00.

Fish—No. 1 mess mackerel, bbls, $23; half bbls, $12 00; quarter bbls, $6 80; 20-lb pails, $2 75; 10-lb pails, $1 50; No. 2 mackerel, new, bbls, $15 50; half bbls, $8; quarter bbls, $4 25; 20-lb pails, $1 80; 10-lb pails, 90c; lake herring, 100 lbs, $4 00; 20 lbs, $1 00@1 05; 10 lbs, 58c.

Canned Goods.

Standard pie peaches, 80@85c; gallon pie peaches, 2 50@3 00; California L. C. peaches, $1 90@2 35; Maryland peaches, $1 25@1 75; California Y. F., $1 80@2 00; corn, fancy brands, 90c@$1 00; corn, 82½@85c; California cherries, white, $2 00@2 25; lima beans, $1 20@1 40; soaked lima beans, 75@80c; string do, 65c@$1 25; marrowfat peas, 95c@$1 10; early June peas, $1 00@1 30; soaked peas, 55@65c; New York apples, gal. cans, $3 40 doz; pineapples, $1 20@2 20; damson plums, $1 00; California plums, $1 55@1 60; raspberries, 85@90c; gooseberries, 95c@$1 00; standard tomatoes, $1 30@1 35; fancy do, $1 40@1 50; salmon, doz, 1-lb cans, $1 00@2 00; succotash, 1-lb cans, 65c@$1 40; chipped beef, 1-lb cans, $2 40@2 75; 2-lb corned and roast beef, cans, $1 35@2 35; mackerel, 2 and 3-lb cans, broiled, $1 75@2 90; sardines, domestic, ¼s, $3 40@3 50; mustards, ¾s, $2 80@2 90; French, $7 00@14 25; oysters, 1-lb full weight, 95c@$1 25; 2-lb full weight, $1 80; 1-lb lunch, flat cans, $1 10.

Dried Fruits.

Evaporated apricots, in bags, 10½@11c; 25-lb boxes, 11½@12c; apples, in bulk, 10c; 1-lb cartons, 10@11c; peaches, 8@12c; raisins, seeded, 1-lb pkgs, 9@9½c; raisins, Muscatels, 2 and 4-crown, 50-lb boxes, 6¾@7½c per lb; Ondaria Valencia, 8@8½c; California Valencia, 7c; raspberries, 25½@27½c; currants, cleaned, 25 and 50-lb pkgs, 9@9½c; California prunes, 4½@7½c.

Fruits and Produce.

Apples—Common, $2 00@2 50 per bbl; choice and fancy, $3 50@5 50; California, per box, $1 50@1 75.

Carrots—Per bbl, $1 25@1 50; ton, $16 00@18 00; new, per doz bunches, 40@50c.

Cucumbers—Hothouse, $2 25@2 50.

Potatoes—On track, per bu, 90c@1 00; carloads, fancy, 80@90c; fancy, from store, $1 00; foreign, per bag, $2 50@2 75; Jersey sweets, fancy, $4 00@4 50; crates, $1 40@1 50; Jersey sweets, medium, $2 50@3 00.

Brussels Sprouts—Per qt, 15@18c.

Onions—Per bbl, $3 25@3 50; per bu, $1 25@1 50; Spanish, crate, $1 35@1 50; silver skins, $4 50; Valencia, per crate, $4 00@4 25.

Horseradish—Per bbl, $6 00@7 00.

Watercress—Per doz, 40@50c.

Oyster Plant—Per doz, 30@40c.

Celery—Medium, 25@40c; large, 50@60c; California Golden Heart, $2 50@2 75; White Plume, $2 00@2 25.

Rutabagas—Per bbl, $1 00@1 25.

Cabbage—German seed, $18 00@22 00; per bbl, $1 25@1 50; red, per bbl, $1 50@1 75.

Cider—New sweet apple juice, bbls, $4 50@5 00; old sharp apple juice, bbl, $1 50@3 50; choice crabapple, bbl, $5 00@6 00; refined apple juice, gal, 12@15c; Duffy's 15-gal kegs, $3 00; 30-gal kegs, $5 00@5 25; pure grape juice, 25@30c; sand refined, per bbl, $5 75@6 00; kegs, $3 50; per gal, 18@20c.

Turnips—Washed, $1 75@2 00; unwashed, $1 25@1 50.

Leeks—Per doz, 50@60c.

Parsnips—Per bbl, $1 75@2 00; ton, $20 00@25 00.

Beets—Per bbl, $2 50@2 75; ton, $30 00@35 00; new, bunch, 85@90c.

Parsley—New southern, per doz, 85c@$1 00.

Cauliflower—Half bu chips, 40@50c; California, $2 75@3 00 per crate.

Mushrooms—Per lb, 40@50c.

Radishes—Per doz, 40@50c.

Tomatoes—Florida, 6 basket carriers, $3 00@3 50.

Lettuce—Home grown, per doz, 30@40c; hothouse, 30@40c per basket; head lettuce, bbl, $7 00@8 00; Endive, $8 00@9 00; Florida, hampers, $2 00@2 50; medium, $1 50@2 00.

Green Onions—Per doz, 20@25c; New Orleans Charlottes, 40@50c doz.

Garlic—Per lb, 7@8c.

String Beans—Green, $4 00@5 00; wax, $4 00@5 00.

Florida Egg Plant—Per box, $4 00@5 00.

Spinach—Per bu, 90c@$1 00.

Strawberries—Florida, per qt, 50@60c.

Kohlrobi—Per doz bunches, 50@60c.

Honey—White comb, 15@17c; New York white clover, 17@18c; buckwheat, 11@12c.

Maple Syrup—75c@$1 00 per gallon.

Mango Peppers—Per crate, $4 00@4 50.

Squash—Hubbard, per bbl, $2 50@3 00; marrowfat, per bbl, $2 00@2 25; ton, $38 00@40 00.

Cranberries—Per crate, $1 00@2 00; per bbl, $5 00@8 00.

Green Peas—California, 4-basket carriers, $2 50@3 00.

Rhubarb—Per doz, 50@65c.

Kale—Per bbl, $1 00@1 25.

Butter, Eggs and Cheese.

Butter—Elgin creamery, prints, 30@30½c; do tubs, 29@29½c; Ohio and Pennsylvania creamery, 27@27½c; dairy butter, 20@21c; fresh country roll, 17@18c; cooking butter, 15½@16c.

Eggs—Fresh candled, per doz, 31@32c; selects, 32@33c.

Cheese—New York, full creams, 12@12½c; Ohio, 11½@12c; ¾ cream, Ohio, 10@10½c; Ohio Swiss, tubs, 13@14c; Wisconsin Swiss, tubs, 15½@16c; 20-lb block cheese, Swiss, 15½c; 5-lb brick cheese, 13½@14c; limburger, 13c.

Tropical Fruits and Nuts.

Limes—Per box, $4 00.

Nuts—Almonds, 15c; filberts, 11c; English walnuts, 11@13c; pecans, 12@15c; mixed nuts, 11c; peanuts, jumbos, 7c; fancy hand picked, 5c per lb; shellbarks, $1 50@2 00 per bu; walnuts, per bu, 60@65c; St. John's bread, per lb, 4c; California papershell almonds, 15c; Italian chestnuts, 6c.

Lemons—California, $2 75@3 00; Messina, $2 75@3 25.

Pineapples—Florida, per crate, $3 25@3 50; smooth, Cayenne, $4 00@4 50.

California Pears—Peaberry, $2 75@3 00.

Cocoanuts—Per bag, $3 25.

Oranges—California navel, choice, $2 50@3 00; fancy, $3 00@3 75; seedlings, $1 75@2 00.

Bananas—Firsts, $1 50@1 75; eights, $1 00@1 25; seconds, 75c@$1 00.

Almeria Grapes—Per keg, $4 50@6 00.

Grape Fruit—Per box, $6 50@8 00.

Dates—Persian, 4c; Fard, 6@6½c per lb.

Figs—Two-inch, per lb, 10c; 2¾-inch, 14c per lb; bag figs, 8c.

Poultry.

Chickens—Live hens, per lb, 11½@12½c; springers, 11½@12½c; roosters, 7@8c; turkeys, 13@14c; do dressed, 18@20c; hens, dressed, 15@16c; fresh spring dressed, 15@16c; frozen spring broilers, $4 00@4 50 per doz; geese, live, 8@9c; dressed, 14@15c; ducks, live, 12@13c; do dressed, 17@18c.

Hides.

No. 1 green steer hides, heavy, 8½c; do light, under 60 lbs, and cows, all weights, 7c; No. 1 green bulls, 6½c; calfskins, 9c; No. 2 calf, 8c.

Green salt or cured hides, No. 1 steers, over 60 lbs, 10½c; cows and light steers, 8@8½c; No. 2 hides, 1c reduction; No. 1 calfskins, 10c; No. 2 calf, 1½c less.

Provisions.

Smoked Meats—Large hams, 18 lbs and up, 11¼c; medium hams, over 12 to 18 lbs, 11½c; small hams, 12 lbs and under, 11¾c; skinned hams, 12c; boneless boiled hams, 18c; California hams, 8¾c; shoulders (New York cut), 8¾c; shoulders (skinned), 9¼c; breakfast bacon (rib), 8 to 10 lbs, 11c; breakfast bacon (rib), 10 to 12 lbs, 10¾c; breakfast bacon (rib), back strips, 10¼c; breakfast bacon (clear), 8 to 10 lbs, 11½c; breakfast bacon (clear), 10 to 12 lbs, 11c; breakfast bacon (clear), back strips, 10¼c.

Dry Salt Meats—Sides (extra short clears), 9⅛c; bellies, over 20 to 25 lbs, 9¼c; bellies, from 16 to 20 lbs, 9⅜c; bellies, under 16 lbs, 9½c.

Dry Salt Smoked Meats—Sides (extra short clears), 10c; bellies, over 20 to 25 lbs, 9⅞c; bellies, from 16 to 20 lbs, 10⅛c; bellies, under 16 lbs, 10¼c.

Lard—Pure lard (tierces), 10c; compound lard (tierces), 8¼c. The advance for smaller packages over tierces is as follows: Barrels (about 240 lbs), ⅛c; half barrels (about 100 lbs), ¼c; fancy tubs, net, 60 lbs, ⅜c; plain hardwood tubs, net, 60 lbs, ⅜c; wooden buckets, net, 20 lbs, ¾c; 50-lb tin pails (one or two in a case), ⅛c; 10-lb tin pails (6 in a case), ¾c; 5-lb tin pails (12 in a case), ⅞c; 3-lb tin pails (20 in a case), 1c.

Seeds.

Clover, from store, recleaned, 60-lb bu, small, $6 15@6 40; mammoth, $6 20@6 50; crimson, $4 75@5 00; white, Dutch, $9 00@10 00; alsike, $9 00@10 00; alfalfa, $6 00@6 25; timothy, $3 10@3 25; orchard grass, $1 50@1 75; millet, $1 25@1 50; Hungarian grass, 90c@$1 10; lawn grass, $2 00@2 50; blue grass, 14-lb bu, $1 50@1 75; red top, 14-lb bu, $1 10@1 50.

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HANDICAP ON CANDIDATES

The Two Bills—Flinn and Stone—Are Expected to Ruin the Political Future of Many Good Men—Candidates for Governor.

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
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WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 16.

Senator Penrose and a large number of the members of the Pennsylvania delegations in the house have gone to their homes to vote at the February elections on Tuesday next, and will then return here. It has been many years since there was so much interest in the result of the February elections, and in many of the departments numerous clerks have been granted leaves of absence so that they could go home to vote. Outside of the local interest in the various contests there is a general interest here, especially among the Republicans, over the contest being fought in Pittsburgh against the Stone-Flinn ticket.

The fact that Gov. Stone is afraid to go home and face the people he so deliberately betrayed is generally commented on by the Republicans, and his only supporters are Representatives Graham and Jack.

Interest Centers in Pittsburgh.

Interest in the Pittsburgh contest is felt by every member of the delegation, especially as the Republicans believe that the overthrow of the Stone-Flinn ticket will mean a black eye for the Harrisburg machine in its efforts to perpetuate its control and land the "postscript" in the United States senate as the successor of Matthew Stanley Quay.

Every arrival from Pittsburgh and vicinity is closely questioned for information regarding the situation, as all agree that a defeat for the Stone-Flinn ticket makes it virtually certain that John P. Elkin will not be nominated for governor, and that the state ticket will be composed of men who will rally the party together and score a glorious victory in November.

The information brought from Pittsburgh is generally conflicting and as a consequence leaves a good deal to be guessed at.

Has No Love for Flinn.

Probably the most significant information on the subject I secured during the past week from a well-known member of the Flinn machine who was here and who is holding an office now because of his membership in the machine. This gentleman was a close friend of the late C. L. Magee and has no love for the works of Senator Flinn. Naturally, he declined to have his name quoted, as he desires to be re-elected to his present office. Said he:

"In this contest the candidates on the Republican ticket are overshadowed first by Bill Flinn and then by Bill Stone, and they are both very bad Bills at that. I have always been an active supporter of the local organization, but I, and hundreds of others, repudiate the deal that Bill Flinn made with Bill Stone. For years we had fought Bill Stone and his friends, and then our so-called leader sold us out to him.

Repudiate the Deal.

"We do not indorse the deal made by Senator Flinn, and he will find it out on election day. And, on the other hand, there are hundreds of Republicans who formerly supported Gov. Stone who now repudiate his deal and will so vote on next Tuesday.

"It will be seen, therefore, that the result is uncertain. Were it simply a fight between candidates the outcome would not be in doubt, but the two BAD BILLS threaten to drag down lots of good candidates who under other circumstances could be elected easily. If Senator Flinn had made only a local deal it might not have been so bad, but his deal includes the promise of a solid delegation to the legislature who are to support Senator Penrose for re-election and Gov. Stone two years later as the successor of Senator Quay. I know that this is in the deal."

Scramble for Governorship.

With the defeat of the Stone-Flinn ticket in Pittsburgh on Tuesday there will come a lively scramble for the Republican nomination for governor, as such a defeat, it is believed here, will sound the death knell to the hopes of John P. Elkin.

Representatives Sibley and Mahon will then enter the contest in earnest and in addition there will be Wesley R. Andrews of Meadville and ex-Lieut.-Gov. Watres of Scranton, and it is impossible that Representative Connell will re-enter the contest. Mr. Connell has been remaining quiescent and hopes to be the legatee of the Elkin delegates when the latter withdraws from the contest. In fact, it has been published that such a reciprocity deal was made at Harrisburgh about a month ago.

For lieutenant governor, only one name is being canvassed as an active candidate, and that is the name of Dr. Flood of Meadville, who is being urged by Postmaster Sobel of Erie and others of the northwest section.

Other Names Mentioned.

State Senator Brown of Lawrence county and ex-Representative Kulp of Shamokin are also being discussed.

For secretary of internal affairs, Maj. I. B. Brown of Corry has many friends among the members of the delegation, and is the only candidate mentioned here.

The movement to bring about a reconciliation between the organization and Representative Acheson has been checked during the past week, owing to the fact that Mr. Acheson added a new plank to his platform. Originally, it was understood that he was willing to again become regular and send members of the legislature from Washington county who would be willing to enter the party caucus at Harrisburg and abide by the result, if in return Mr. Acheson was given another term in congress from the new district.

Will Not Stand for Elkin.

But now Mr. Acheson adds a new plank, viz.: That John P. Elkin shall not be nominated for governor. As a consequence those who have been endeavoring to patch up a truce between the organization and Mr. Acheson have ceased their efforts.

Representative Hall of Ridgeway is still being deluged with letters from Democratic leaders over the state, urging him to be a candidate for governor. So far, Mr. Hall has declined to commit himself and in his answers tells the writers that at present he is endeavoring to harmonize the Democrats of the state. Mr. Hall's position is simply this: If the Republicans nominate John P. Elkin for governor he will accept the Democratic nomination, and is confident that he can be elected. Therefore, he is waiting for the Republicans to nominate their ticket, but in the meantime his friends are active. Recently, when the Democrats of Northumberland county met, two men from Philadelphia were present, endeavoring to secure the delegation from that county for the nomination of Judge Gordon of Philadelphia. But Representative Polk quietly controlled the situation, and the delegates will be for Representative Hall, if he desires them.

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CLEVELAND, O., Feb. 16.—The $1,000,000 cash bond issue, a part of the $6,500,000 issue incident to the collateral trust plan for financing the properties of the Federal Telephone Company, will furnish the money to make the company one of the most powerful independent telephone concerns in the country. While money will be used all over the state, a good share of it will be used in Cleveland and Columbus. Three thousand additional telephones will, it is said, be placed in the local plant of the Federal Telephone company and 1,000 will be added to the Columbus exchange.

It can now be said as an assured fact that the uncompleted plant at Detroit will be sold. Whether the move to purchase headed by Mayor Maybury of Detroit will succeed or not is just now an open question. At the same time it is said that Mayor Maybury is basing his offer on the municipal ownership idea. To work up a municipal ownership scheme will, it is feared, take an indefinite period, and the banker's committee will probably not feel inclined to await the outcome of what is felt to be a somewhat doubtful proposition. On the other hand, other parties are figuring on the purchase of the plant. It is believed the bankers' committee will sell for a figure something like $400,000 with perhaps interest on the money added.

The meeting of telephone creditors announced for this week will probably be the largest meeting of its kind held since the bankers' committee took hold of the affair of the syndicate. All creditors and representatives of the banks holding syndicate securities have been invited.

In regard to the traction situation it is authoritatively announced that a new bid for control of the Big Consolidated would be submitted by the Elkins-Widener people perhaps within a week. At a meeting to be held in Philadelphia tomorrow the matter will be taken up and finally acted upon. The expectation is that the syndicate will stick to the effort to lease the property.

RANDS IN DEMAND.

Immense Dealings in South African Mining Shares in London Stock Market.

LONDON, Feb. 16.—Rands were still the center of interest as well as the center of anxiety during the last week for those who were inclined to take a pessimistic view of the outlook on the stock exchange. The settlement was an arduous task, especially in the mining section, where the accounts of several over-rash speculators were suspended. This checked, although it did not stop, the phenomenal gamble now going on in South Africans. The magnitude of recent dealings is indicated by the fact that of leading mining stocks alone 33,000,000 shares passed through the clearing house. One effect of the difficult settlement was to prevent the development of much new business, still, the general tone was good and the outlook is cheerful, at least for the professionals. The rates of discount have been steady and the accumulation of big balances by the government is making money scarce on the open market. However, the low discount rates at Berlin and Vienna promise to send considerable continental money here, so London can look with equanimity at the prospect of gold being shipped to New York.

The Anglo-Japanese treaty has been warmly received in financial circles and foreign securities generally were higher in consequence. Americans improved somewhat, principally the transcontinental railroad lines. Considerable interest is manifested in the New York city traction situation and many persons are waiting to see that situation elucidated before making investments.

The long promised imperial tobacco company has been floated. The financial critics generally approve the make-up of its prospectus, which seems to indicate the confidence of the promoters of the company in their ability to successfully fight the American Tobacco Corporation. It is said that on the basis of the revenue of the constituent companies for some years past the present combine could lose £700,000 profit annually before touching the dividends of the preference stock.

Home rails are enjoying a mild boom on the strength of the announcement of successful results from experiments conducted by the Great Northern with a new steam valve which is said to reduce the coal consumption of locomotives by almost 10 per cent.

MRS. GRANT'S BIRTHDAY.

The Widow of the Great General Is Now Seventy-Six Years Old.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 16.—(Special.)—Mrs. Julia Dent Grant, the widow of Gen. Ulysses S. Grant, celebrated her 76th birthday anniversary today. Mrs. Grant has with her this season her daughter, Mrs. Sartoris, her granddaughter, Miss Miriam Grant, and her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Frederick Dent Grant.

Mrs. Grant is in unusually good health and thoroughly enjoys her quiet life. She drives each morning with Mrs. Sartoris, who, unlike her mother, is in very delicate health. In the evening Mrs. Grant and her daughter and any friends who happen to be there play a rubber of whist, this game being an invariable finish to the day.

Vote early and avoid the rush.

REPORT ON THE PACIFIC CABLE EXPECTED TODAY

Committee Equally Divided On Question of Government Ownership.

POSTAL WANTS PRIVILEGE

John W. Mackay's Company Has Submitted a Proposition to the Government Offering to Reduce Rate to China and Philippines.

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
603 Fifteenth St., N. W.,
WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 16.

The fight upon the question of a cable across the Pacific to Honolulu, Guam and the Philippines is rapidly growing in interest. It is for congress to decide whether the government shall build this cable or whether it shall be built by a private corporation. The house interstate and foreign commerce committee, which has acted upon the question, was very nearly equally divided. Eight members of the committee voted in favor of the Corliss bill, which provides for a government cable. They were Corliss of Michigan, Fletcher of Minnesota, Coombs of California, Tompkins of Ohio, Stewart of New Jersey and Joy of Missouri (Republicans), and Shackleford of Missouri and Davey of Louisiana (Democrats). Seven members of the committee headed by Chairman Hepburn voted against the government cable.

Voted Against the Bill.

They were Hepburn of Iowa, Sherman of New York, Wagner of Pennsylvania and Lovering of Massachusetts (Republicans), and Adamson of Georgia, Ryan of New York and Richardson of Alabama (Democrats). The majority report will be made by Corliss and the minority report by Hepburn. The committee is so evenly divided that the house will doubtless decide the question upon its merits.

The reports will be filed tomorrow. It is probable that Mr. Shackleford of Missouri, who favors government ownership, will make an individual report because of his inability to subscribe to some of the features of the Corliss bill. One of these features is that the cable must be built and laid by American manufacturers and that they shall be paid 10 per cent above what any foreign manufacturer would charge.

Mackay's Proposition.

The Commercial Pacific Cable Company, an American corporation of which John W. Mackay is president, some time ago made contracts upon its own responsibility for the Pacific cable and advised the government of these contracts and of the willingness of the company to accept all legal restrictions applicable to cable and telegraph companies; to reduce the cable rates to Manila and China to $1 a word (the rate now being $1.66 a word); to allow the government to fix its own rates; to give precedence to government messages, and to yield without protest to government censorship in time of war.

It was held by the advocates of government ownership that these were empty promises on the part of the cable company and that in the absence of a consideration and a specific contract, the cable company was not legally bound by such promises.

Met All Objections.

The cable company have met all the objections on this line by filing with the attorney general a contract which they regard as absolutely binding upon themselves and offering to sign any other contract which the attorney general or any other officer of the government can make more binding. Copies of this contract have been received by the house and senate committees. It will probably be printed as an appendix to the house minority report. There is no indication that the senate will take up the government ownership proposition at all, unless the Corliss bill should pass the house.

The contract filed with the attorney general provides that the government shall lease to the cable company an office in the general postoffice building at Honolulu, and in return for this small but entirely valid consideration, the company "covenants and agrees."

Postal's Agreement.

First—To charge the public 50 cents a word between California and Honolulu for the first two years with a reduction to 35 cents a word thereafter. To charge not exceeding $1 a word between California and Manila or China; to accept such rates for government messages as the postmaster general shall annually fix.

Second—To complete the cable to Honolulu not later than January 1, 1903, and to the Philippines within two years thereafter.

Third—To let the cable touch only American soil, if that be physically possible.

Fourth—To sell the cable to the government if ever the government should want it at its appraised value.

Government to Be First.

The contract further binds the company to give priority to government messages; not to receive from any foreign government any other or better privileges which would operate against any other American company; not to consolidate with any other line for the purpose of regulating rates, except through rates; to submit without protest to government censorship whenever in the opinion of the secretary of state an emergency may arise making such censorship expedient; and to vacate the office space in the Honolulu postoffice at the pleasure of the government. The company further covenants that the government may enforce all of these obligations by summary action of the army or navy or by a bill of injunction to be filed in any court or by a suit for damages, as the government may deem best.

Company Anxious to Please.

This contract comes with the approval of the board of directors and is signed by the vice president and general manager of the company, George G. Ward. It is transmitted by William W. Cook of New York, general counsel of the company. In an accompanying letter the counsel points out that the renting of office space is the cheapest and least complicated form of obligation upon which the government can base a contract to bind the company; that such office space is frequently rented in postoffice buildings; that the contract may be terminated by the government at any time, but cannot be terminated by the cable company; that the company will absolutely bind itself only to touch American soil as soon as a survey can be made showing that this is a physical possibility; that the company is anxious to avoid touching foreign shore so as to avoid giving reduced rates to a foreign government or any other complications incident to connection with a foreign shore.

CHARLES W. METZGAR.

A vote for the Citizens ticket is a vote for pure water and adequate fire protection.

THE HOUSE EXPECTS A BUSY TIME THIS WEEK

The War Revenue Reduction Bill, One of the Most Important Measures, Comes Up Tomorrow.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 16.—The coming week promises to be one of unusual activity in the house of representatives. Beginning tomorrow the war revenue reduction bill will be taken up with two days for debate, and a stringent special rule bringing the bill to a vote at 3 p. m. on Tuesday, without intervening motion to recommit or amendments other than those of a verbal character proposed by the committee.

At the outset there promises to be a spirited contest on the adoption of the special rule, as the minority will protest against the cutting off of amendments and the motion to recommit. There is little doubt, however, that the rule will be adopted.

Only Six Hours for Debate.

When the debate proper begins there will be hardly more than three hours on each side. This time will be given to the members of the ways and means committee, who in turn will apportion it among their colleagues. The passage of the bill is a foregone conclusion, as the minority members as well as the majority favor it, the only difference being as to the amount of reduction and the extent to which tariff changes should go. Aside from the tariff issue it would be no surprise if the sensational speech of Representative Wheeler of Kentucky on Prince Henry's visit and other foreign matters figures in the discussion, as much feeling has been aroused by the speech.

Appropriation Bills Due.

The Indian appropriation bill will be taken up on Wednesday, with two other appropriation bills, the diplomatic and consular and the postoffice in reserve. Chairman Sherman of the Indian affairs committee expects to occupy two or three days, so that the other appropriation bills probably will go over until the following week. In that case private claims will get some consideration the latter part of the week.

There are several important measures of general legislation now ready for consideration, including the anti-anarchy bill and the Pacific cable bill. The intention, however, is not to consider these general mesures so long as any appropriation bills remain unacted on.

Every vote counts. Don't throw your's away.

PITTSBURGH WOMEN ARRIVE.

Ready for Congress of Daughters of American Revolution.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 16.—(Special.)—Among the arrivals here today were the following who came to attend the sessions of the congress of the Daughters of the American Revolution, which convenes here this week:

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Ammon, Mrs. W. S. Foster, Mrs. M. A. Rose, Mrs. Charles F. Neale, Mrs. Howard Morton, Mrs. W. H. Baltzell and Mrs. F. C. Watson, of Pittsburgh; Mrs. Cyrus Clarke, Jr., Mrs. H. M. Clarke and Mrs. Albert Homer of Allegheny; Miss A. R. VanTassel of DuBois, Mrs. A. E. Cook of Brookville, and Mrs. Charles F. Burr and Mrs. Edward Orton, Jr., of Columbus, O.

Express your disapproval of extravagance and inefficiency by voting against the machine.

DANISH TREATY UP TODAY

It Is Not Certain Yet Whether the Executive Session Will Last One Day or More.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 16.—The greater part of the day tomorrow will be devoted by the senate to an effort to ratify the treaty with Denmark for the cession of the Danish West Indies. This proceeding will be in executive session, and there is no certainty as to whether one day will be sufficient for the purpose or not. Thus far there has been no marked evidence of opposition to the treaty, but Senator Bacon has indicated a purpose of offering an amendment to the agreement and of discussing it to some extent. What further discussion may develop remains to be seen.

If the consideration of the treaty is not concluded on Monday its final disposition probably will be postponed for several days, as Senator Lodge has agreed to sidetrack the Philippine bill only for the one day. With reference to the Philippine bill it is altogether probable that a vote will be reached during the latter part of the week. An agreement fixing a time to vote is likely to be reached on Tuesday, and the indications now are that next Friday or Saturday will be named as the day for deciding the fate of the bill.

By unanimous consent the census bill will be disposed of after the Danish treaty and before the debate on the Philippine bill is taken. It is expected that a vote will be reached on the census bill after very little more debate.

Vote for home rule by supporting the Citizens ticket.

MORE MONEY IN PROSPECT.

Probable Additional Appropriation for Monongahela Locks.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 16.—(Special.)—During the coming week the river and harbor committee of the house, in preparing the river and harbor bill, will probably decide on the appropriations to be made for Pittsburgh and vicinity.

Nothing has been agreed upon as yet for that section, but the indications are that the appropriations carried by the last bill will be adopted with an addition of $500,000 for locks Nos. 2 and 3 on the Monongahela river, as recommended by Capt. Sibert.

A vote for the machine is a vote for higher taxes and more bonds.

West Virginia Postmasters.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 16.—(Special.)—Rrepresentative Dovener has recommended the appointment of Richard Johnson as postmaster at Margaret, Harrison county, W. Va. Mr. Dovener has been advised that J. M. Cline has been appointed postmaster at Locke, Tyler county, W. Va.

Turn out the crew that makes Pittsburgh a thing of barter and sale.

Admiral Schley to Go Visiting.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—Admiral and Mrs. Schley will leave here tomorrow morning for a visit of a few days with friends in New York city. They will return to Washington Thursday.

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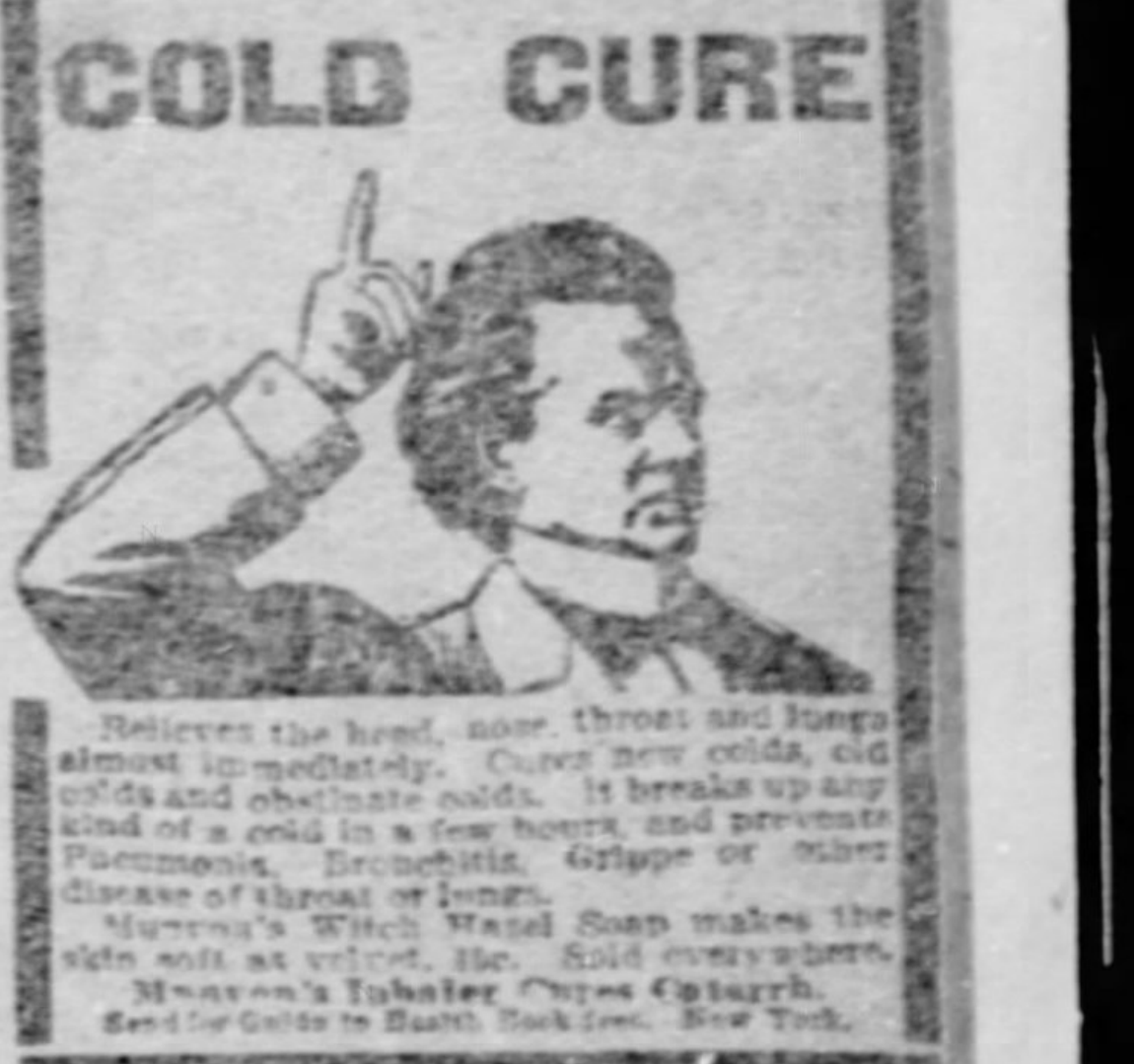

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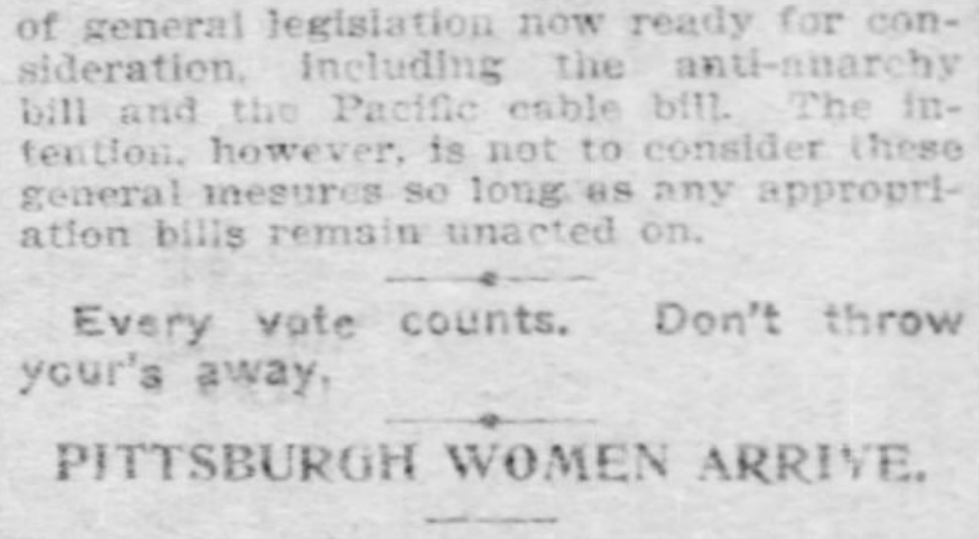

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JOS. HORNE CO.

Monday, February 17, 1902.

Today's Big Values in the Special Underpriced Sale

are briefly but clearly given below. But before going to the condensed portion of the news there are several departments whose contributions to the good things of the day need a little spread over the others.

Some of this specially featured news has already been given, but needs to be emphasized; other good bits have first mention this morning.

We expect a throng today because the offerings are worthy of a large attendance. But no matter how large a gathering everything will move along smoothly by the aid of our prompt and effective service.

New American Wash Goods for Spring and Summer of 1902.

Think of one department devoted to the selling of one kind of wash goods having *one hundred and ten thousand yards* of new materials for the convenience of Spring sewers.

It is not imaginary. The reality is right here in our bright, large department of the basement, devoted especially to the selling of American weaves of washable stuffs.

Where can such another collection be found? Not in Allegheny county—not in any county in the western part of the state.

Is it at all improbable that we are lowest in prices for American cottons, when variety is so far above the average?

While in the store today—whether you want, or do not want, wash goods, it will be interesting to you to go to the basement just for the purpose of seeing the great piles of new American Cottons.

The different price ranges are:

Dimities	from 10c to 20c a yard
Batistes	from 6¼c to 18c a yard
Swisses	from 12½c to 25c a yard
Dress Ginghams	from 10c to 25c a yard
Seersuckers	10c and 12½c a yard

Three Great Numbers in Dress Goods.

Two new lines of colored materials and one extraordinary line of black material.

Our buyer was over in New York and it was one of those chance pick-ups that occasionally come in the way of persons when they are not looking for it.

37½c a yard for 75c, 85c and $1 a yard skirt and dress lengths of Shark Skin, Whipcords, Serges and Armures, in a variety of pleasing colors. That's the first of the trio.

The second: 58c for $1 a yard Worsted Melrose in the richest street shades.

The third: $1.50 a yard for fine $2 a yard Black Broadcloth, a satin face tailoring cloth, made of fine Australian wool.

The Irish Dress Linens, 18c a yd.

If we were to send a dozen buyers into the markets to hunt for the best values they could find to sell for a wonderfully little price, each and all could not find anything more sterling than these Irish Dress Linens.

All that is necessary for women to do is to look forward by a few weeks and find Spring awakening.

This linen is an ideal stuff for misses' and children's wear.

This morning 4,000 yards are on sale at the very low price of 18c a yard. The material is 36 inches wide. It is a linen that is worth every cent of its rightful price, 30c. Yet it came to us in such a way we are able to sell it for 18c.

A Little Lot of Women's Seal Skin Coats

will be offered today for the uniform price of $125.

These coats sold early in the season very low—$150 and $175.

Women who habitually like first choice should be in the department early.

Don't know where such good coats are to be had for such money.

Some higher grade fur coats with equally strong reductions.

Women's New Neckwear.

Another lot of Collars—two styles—equal in all respects to those we advertised a short time ago.

5,000 SWISS EMBROIDERED TURN-OVER COLLARS, 5c EACH; 6 FOR 25c. THESE ARE THE REGULAR 10c AND 12½c QUALITIES.

TURN-OVER COLLARS OF BUTCHERS' LINEN, EMBROIDERED IN COLORS—THIS SEASON'S NEWEST FAD, 25c EACH. REGULAR 37½c GOODS.

This Condensed News Tells Quickly What Is Going On Here Today.

Liberty Satin Raye—various colors—75c a yard. A $1.25 value.

Fancy Louisines and Taffetas—pretty—stripes, checks and plaids—at 68c a yard; $1 and $1.25 values.

Corded Peau de Soies in all the popular tints, 75c a yard. A $1.25 value.

Twilled Foulards in that admired combination of black and white, 75c a yard. A $1.25 a yard value.

Liberty Satin, Liberty Satin Broche and Printed Foulards, choice colorings, 58c and 68c a yard; $1 and $1.25 values.

Printed Pongee, 45c a yard. A 75c grade.

Black Swiss Taffeta, 20 inches wide, 68c a yard. An 85c grade.

Black French Taffeta—24 inches wide—very bright mousseline finish, $1.25 a yard. A $1.50 grade.

Pebble Etamines in new shades, 58c a yard. A 75c grade. It is 40 inches wide.

52-inch wide Homespuns, 75c a yard. A $1.25 value. All the wanted colors.

Black Satin Berber, 25c a yard. A 65c grade.

50-inch Black Cheviot, 75c a yard. A $1 grade.

56-inch Pedestrian Skirting, $1 a yard. A $1.50 grade.

56-inch Pedestrian Skirting, $1.35 a yard. A $2 grade.

White Dotted Swisses and Striped and Checked Nainsooks, 10c a yard; 12½c and 15c grades.

Fancy Striped Madras and Swisses, 15c a yard. A 20c grade.

Dress Ginghams, dark plaids and stripes, 4c a yard. A 10c grade.

Printed Batistes, light and dark colors, 6¼c a yard. A 10c grade.

Flannelettes for 4c a yard. A 10c grade.

Black and Colored Percales, 7½c a yard. A 12½c grade.

New Swiss and Cambric Edges, from 5c to 25c a yard; new Flouncings, from 25c to 60c a yard; new Insertings, from 10c to 25c a yard.

Corded Silk All-Overs, 75c a yard. A $1.25 grade.

English Torchon Laces and Insertions, 3c and 5c a yard; 5c, 10c and 15c qualities.

Fancy Ribbons, 4½ and 5 inches; Satin Liberty, 4½ inches wide; Taffeta Ribbons, 4½ inches wide, all 25c a yard. About half former prices.

Satin Face Velvet Ribbon—1 inch, 1¼ and 1½ inches, 10c a yard; 2 and 2½ inches, 12c a yard. About half prices.

Women's Black German Cotton Stockings, 15c a pair. A 25c quality.

Boys' and Girls' ribbed black Cotton Stockings, all reinforced, 11c a pair; 25c grades.

60-inch Table Damask, 35c a yard; 50c goods.

Bleached Damask Napkins, $1 a dozen. $1.25 goods.

Bleached and Unbleached Turkish Towels and Huck Towels, 12½c each; 15c and 18c goods.

Twilled Crash and checked glass Toweling, 7½c a yard; 10c goods.

Young Women's Tailor-Made Suits, $7.50. Sold for $10 and up to $15.

Girls' and Misses' half length Jackets, $5 and $8. Sold for $8 and up to $15.

Women's striped Madras Waists, $1.50. Grades that sell for $2.75 and $3.

French Flannel Waists, $2 Grades that sell for $4.50 and $5.

Pillow Cases of Wamsutta Muslin, 12½c each.

Crocheted Bedspreads, $1 each. A $1.25 grade.

New Comforts covered with pretty silkoline, $1.50. A $2 quality.

White Blankets, strictly all wool, $4, $5 and $6 a pair. The saving is $1 on the pair.

Boys' Sailor Suits for $5 that were $10.

Boys' Long Trousers Suits—single and double-breasted—$5. They are $10, $12 and $15 grades.

Men's Overcoats, $15 and $16—sold for $20, $22 and $25.

Women's Enameled Shoes—button or lace—$4. Sold for $6.

Women's black Russian Calf Shoes, $3. Sold for $5.

Misses' $2.50 and $3 Box Calf Shoes, $1.90.

Boys' box calf Shoes, $2. Sold for $2.75.

Women's Oxford gray Ulsters, $10. Sold for $15 and $18. Finer grades, $15. Sold for $22 and $25.

Women's black Jackets, $7.50. Sold for $15. The $18 and $20 grades for $10.

Children's White Merino Vests, 35c to 50c. Sold for 55c and up to 85c.

Women's Black Tights, 75c. Sold for $1.

Women's Union Suits, 75c. Sold for $1.

Women's fleece lined Drawers, small sizes, 18c. Sold for 25c.

Women's fleece lined Vests, small sizes, 25c. Sold for 50c.

Women's Colored Umbrellas, $2.80. They are $3 and $3.50 grades.

Men's Negligee Shirts, 75c; $1 grade. All colors.

A lot of printed lace Summer Draperies, 10c a yard. Sold for 16c and 18c.

Irish Point Lace Curtains, $6.50 a pair. Sold for $9; $11.50 grades for $9; $14 grades for $9.50.

Cut Glass Berry Bowls, $5. Sold for $6.50 and $7.

113-piece English Porcelain Dinner Sets, $15. They are $18 and $22.50 grades.

112-piece English Porcelain Dinner Sets, $10. They are $15 grades.

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